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CORE SECTOR GROWTH SLOWS TO 14-MONTH LOW IN DEC 2023

Growth of eight key infrastructure industries slipped to 3.8% due to poor performance of crude, steel and cement

LAST REPORTED LOW WAS IN OCT 2022

For December 2022, the growth of the eight core sectors was 7.4%. The last time the growth was so bad was in October 2022, at 0.9%. The eight core sectors are cement, coal, crude oil, electricity, fertilizers, natural gas, refinery products, and steel. The cumulative growth of the key sectors during April-December 2023 was flat at 8.1% versus 8% a year ago

1-3%

ICRA PROJECTION ON INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION EXPANSION IN DEC

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World-class airport network in India
Number of airports increased from 74 in 2014 to 149 now

Soren held, new Soren to be CM

Veteran JMM leader and minister Champai Soren set to become new Jharkhand CM

MUKESH RANJAN @ Ranchi

Hemant Soren gestures as he leaves for Raj Bhavan; Champai Soren | PTI

THE Enforcement Directorate (ED) on Wednesday arrested Jharkhand Chief Minister and JMM leader Hemant Soren in connection with a money laundering case, after questioning him for over seven hours at his Ranchi residence. Before the arrest, Soren tendered his resignation to Governor C P Radhakrishnan at the Raj Bhavan, from where he was taken to the ED office for further questioning. He is likely to be produced in court on Thursday.

ED sources said Soren was arrested as he was not cooperating with the investigation and was evasive in his replies.

After Soren's resignation, veteran JMM leader and Jharkhand transport minister Champai Soren met the governor and staked claim to form the new government in the state. He also handed over the letters of support signed by 47 MLAs to the governor. Sources said the MLAs who had accompanied Champai were not allowed inside Raj Bhawan.

With Champai set to become the next CM, this would be for the first time that power will shift out of the Shibu Soren family. Till evening, the expectation among party circles was that Hemant Soren's wife Kalpana would be picked as the next CM. Party sources said rebellion by some JMM members including MLA Sita Soren, the elder daughter-in-law of JMM patriarch Shibu Soren, forced the party to choose another name. Another reason cited is the possible legal complications as the state is headed for Assembly polls in just about one year and by-elections can't be conducted if an assembly seat falls vacant in that period. Therefore, Kalpana Soren may not be able to contest from the Gandey Assembly seat, which fell vacant on December 31, due to legal hurdles.

Champai Soren is a senior JMM leader, popularly known as Jharkhand Tiger. He is also the party vice-president. Champai Soren has been an associate of Shibu Soren and has also took part in the Jharkhand movement. Champai enjoys a high stature in the party and Hemant Soren has been seen touching his feet and taking blessings on public platforms.

Born on 15 September 1978, Champai Soren spent his childhood in Dumka and completed his schooling from a government school. He started his political career after being elected as an Independent MLA in the by-election from Seraikela Assembly seat. Champai was also a Cabinet minister in the Arjun Munda-led BJP-JMM-AJSU government from September 2010 to January 2013.

High Court to hear Soren's plea against ED today

Hemant Soren has moved the Jharkhand HC challenging ED summons, alleging that the agency is misusing its powers. Citing an SC order, the plea also says ED cannot arrest anyone on the basis of 'not cooperating in the investigation'. The case will be heard at 10:30 am on Thursday

Be secular, Siddu tells bureaucrats

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah on Wednesday directed senior IAS officials to be secular and committed to the principles of the Constitution. Bureaucrats who have no respect for secular and constitutional principles will not be allowed to work in the state, he said.

In his first-ever meeting with district in-charge secretaries here, Siddaramaiah said the officials' experience should help district administrations in reaching government's welfare and development schemes to the people. In some districts, benefits of the guarantee schemes are not reaching beneficiaries because of some technical issues. The officials should help resolve such issues, he added.

The district in-charge secretaries and DCs should work with dedication. "If any issue is not resolved at your level, take it to the chief secretary. You have to take action against officials at the district-level who violate rules. Otherwise, you cannot ensure discipline in work," the CM told them.

The CM sought to know from them whether people's grievances are being addressed without any delay. He asked them if they have visited government schools, colleges, hostels and police stations. P4

Court allows worship of deities in southern cellar of the Gyanvapi

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

The Gyanvapi Mosque complex as seen from the Kashi Vishwanath Temple | PTI

THE Gyanvapi case took a dramatic turn on Wednesday with a Varanasi court allowing worship of deities inside the southern cellar of the mosque by priests named by the Shree Kashi Vishwanath temple trust (SKVTT) board.

District Judge Ajay Krishna Vishvesha passed the order while disposing a plea by Shailendra Kumar Pathak Vyas, the head priest of the Acharya Ved Vyas Peeth temple, seeking the right to worship Goddess Shringar Gauri and other visible and invisible deities in the cellar of the Gyanvapi mosque. The judge directed the administration to make arrangements to start the puja within seven days.

The court will hear the matter again on February 8.

On January 17, the Varanasi District Magistrate was appointed receiver of the cellar by the district court. He took possession on January 23.

Supreme Court lawyer Vishnu Shankar Jain, who represented Vyas in the case, said: "The court has ordered district magistrate/receiver to ensure regular worship of idols inside the southern cellar of the property in dispute by plaintiff and priest assigned by SKVTT board."

Akhlaque Ahmed, the lawyer for the mosque committee, said they will challenge the order in the high court.

Brakes or stoning? Rahul's car damaged

PRANAB MONDAL @ Kolkata

The broken rear windshield of Rahul's car in Malda | PTI

THE rear windshield of Congress leader Rahul Gandhi's car was shattered on Wednesday near the Bihar-Bengal border during his *Bharat Jodo Nyay Yatra*. While the Congress attributed it to the application of sudden brakes, the party's Bengal chief Adhir Ranjan Chowdhury blamed it on stone pelting. He was in the car when the incident happened. No one was injured.

The yatra entered Bengal's Malda district on the same day CM Mamata Banerjee blamed the CPI(M) for her party's bitter relations with the Congress. The yatra reached Malda after a roadshow in Katihar, Bihar. After travelling for 38 km in the car with a broken windscreen, Rahul got down at the designated spot and inspected the car.

West Bengal police said the windscreen was smashed in Katihar. "Rahul was travelling in a bus. As part of the party's protocol, the state heads of the party exchanged party flag on the rooftop of the bus. After reaching Bengal, Rahul boarded the car as the road was narrow and the damaged rear windscreen was noticed," said a police officer. Rahul carried on with the yatra perched on top of an open-hood jeep.

The car entered West Bengal with the glass already broken. I condemn the attack

Mamata Banerjee, West Bengal CM

Different strokes from Didi, Cong

While Mamata claimed the incident occured in Bihar, the Congress said it happened in Malda but because brakes had to be applied as a woman had come in front of the car

NEW FROG SPECIES

Sphaerotheca varshaabhu, a new frog species, discovered at Budumanahalli near Rajankute in Bengaluru | P2

EXPRESS READ

Pragathi app to track scheme implementation

Bengaluru: Chief Minister Siddaramaiah launched Pragathi, a mobile app to track development and implementation of government schemes in various department at every taluk. The app will help schedule routine inspections for district and taluk officers of the department. P4

MURMU'S ADDRESS

In her address to Parliament, the President lauded major reforms by the govt in the past 10 years and hailed the construction of the Ram temple in Ayodhya | P11

PROPOSAL TO DEPLOY SARAS

Arctic ideal for RRI's cosmic dawn study

BALA CHAUHAN @ Bengaluru

A scientist from Raman Research Institute (RRI), Bengaluru, has found the Arctic region a worthy site for study on the cosmic dawn using an indigenous radio telescope because of its pristine location and radio remoteness.

Cosmic dawn is the period from about 100 million years to one billion years after the Big Bang when the first stars, black holes, and galaxies in the universe were formed.

Research scientist Dr BS Girish, who led India's maiden winter research team to the Arctic, told TNIE that he characterised frequency environment in which RRI-developed SARAS radio telescope operated and found the vicinity in and around Himadri, India's research station in the Arctic, a promising site for deployment. He returned to Bengaluru on January 19.

"Girish's project was to study radio interference levels in the Arctic. The radio frequency interference scenario in Ny-Ålesund (the global research station) in Svalbard, Norway, was sampled at different times of the day," said Saurabh Singh, assistant professor, Astronomy & Astrophysics, RRI. P7

Missing man found living as transgender

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

SIX years after Lakshman Rao went missing from Ijoor police limits in Ramanagara district, a felicitation ceremony video of transgender Neethu Vanajakshi, who participated in a Kannada reality show, Bigg Boss Season 10, helped police solve the case.

Neethu was felicitated by the transgender community in Mysuru. The video went viral soon after the function.

One of the police personnel attached to Ijoor police station, who saw the footage, found the transgender resembling Rao, who had gone missing. He brought it to the notice of his senior officers.

Soon investigations revealed some shocking details — the missing man had transformed himself into a transgender and changed his name to Vijayalakshmi.

During interrogation, it was revealed that Rao fled home as he was in debt due to gambling. P5

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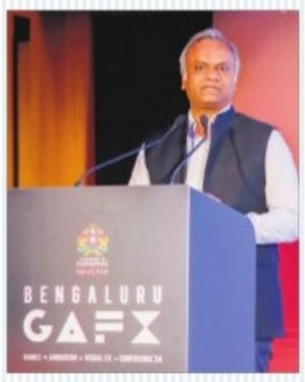
Min: City in driver's seat of India's gaming revolution

Centre of excellence soon, govt launches AVGC-XR 3.0 policy



GAMING CAPITAL

Indians downloaded 430 crore gaming applications in India in 2023. While that is a huge figure, Indians also made in-game purchases of ₹8,370 crore in the same year. India's online gaming market has a valuation of ₹1.6 lakh crore. The industry in 2024-2028 is expected to contribute TDS of ₹6,500 crore to ₹6,800 crore.

42.5 cr gamers
World's second largest gaming community in India

₹10,000 cr
India's animation industry in 2022

20%
Karnataka share in AVGC industry

₹16,484 cr
Market size of AVGC industry in 2023

₹34,000 cr
Indian gaming industry by 2030

2.5 lakh
To be employed by 2025

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KARNATAKA is all set to launch a Centre of Excellence (CoE) in gaming, a one of its kind, state-of-the-art institution housing a complete ecosystem of hardware and software, which will be a platform for innovators and the government, announced Rural Development and Panchayat Raj and IT-BT Minister Priyank Kharge on Wednesday.

"We will have the most successful CoE in gaming being run from Karnataka. The state will also host a e-gaming summit and developer conference next year," he said at the GAFX-2024 (gaming, animation, visual effects) conference in Bengaluru.

The minister said Karnataka and Bengaluru has everything to become the Animation, Visual Effects, Gaming and Comic (AVGC) capital of India. "The state wants to foster not only innovation, but also creation of intellectual property within the sector so that it attracts more people. It is important for the state to maintain the leadership position and we want to be the AVGC and the creative capital for the country as well," Kharge said.

Promoting the AVGC sector, the minister said it has the potential to create employment across various verticals within the gaming sector. Currently the industry employs close to one lakh people, directly and indirectly. By 2025, it has the potential to go up to 2.5 lakh people, he said. India has close to 1,400 online gaming start-ups and this is steadily growing.

Suggestions from industry proposed during the panel discussions included introducing upskilling programmes, incubation centres and B2B platforms for diverse opportunities.

The government also announced the AVGC-XR policy 3.0 for Karnataka for the industry focusing on six pillars. It aims to address key areas such as infrastructure advancement, talent development, funding mechanisms and regulatory methods to create a robust ecosystem to foster creativity and sustainability.

Responsible gaming to digital detox

While the government aims to promote the industry's growth through the policy and build an ecosystem in Karnataka, Kharge said the government also wants to be responsible. "We want to create awareness on the ills of the sector, be it generative AI, excessive gaming or deep fakes. We will come out with several initiatives such as awareness campaigns on gaming to protect youngsters and enable positive gaming," Kharge said.

The government is also looking at launching a 'digital detox' initiative with the Gaming Federation of India (GFI) and establishing a framework. The effort will also focus on visiting schools and colleges along with mental health practitioners to spread awareness on these issues.

3 water bodies in K'taka get Ramsar status

BOSKY KHANNA @Bengaluru

THE Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change (MoEFCC), on Wednesday announced three sites in Karnataka - Magadi Lake Conservation Reserve, Agnashani Estuary and River and Ankasamudra Bird Conservation Reserve - as Ramsar sites.

The announcement comes two days ahead of World Wetlands Day, along with Karaivetti Bird Sanctuary and Longwood Shola Reserve Forest in Tamil Nadu. With this, India now has 80 sites, and Karnataka has four. Ranghattitu Bird Sanctuary was the first to recieve this status in 2022.

Ramsar sites, form a part of an international network of wetlands which are important for the conservation of global biodiversity for sustaining human life through the maintenance of their ecosystem components, processes and services. Once a site is declared as a Ramsar site, they get international recognition for eco-tourism protection.

Explaining the importance, officials in the environment and forest department told TNIE, "It was a long pending due that has come now. The first proposal was made for Magadi lake, in 2005, where 20 percent of the world's Mangolian Bar Headed Geese migrate to. Later Ankasamudra and Aghanashini were added."

It may be noted that these water bodies are not a part of any traditional forest patches. They are community reserves and locals have been working to protect the water bodies and the species visiting them.

The official added that these sites cannot be protected in isolation. There is a need to also protect other water bodies that support the bird species. Citing the example of Ankasaumdra, the official said, "The migratory birds visit Tungabhadra for breeding. Ankasamudra is the backwaters of Tungabhadra river. Agnashini declaration was a challenge as the region was once proposed to be used for Tadadi port expansion. Now the tourism department is working on making it a eco-tourism destination. We are now proposing to declare Boonal Lake in Kalaburgi, Ghataprabha Bird Sanctuary and Almatti backwaters as Ramsar sites along with the marshes in Mangaluru. We are advising locals not to change the land use and cropping pattern which will effect the bird species," the official added.

Magadi

Magadi Kere Conservation Reserve, spread across 50 HA, and 30kms from Gadag, is accorded with a status of Important Bird Area and is listed as a priority area for conservation in India. It is home to over 166 species of birds, including 35 residential species. The primary land- use activities include grazing, fishing and farming.

Aghanashini

Aghanashini River originates in Western Ghats and flows westwards for 117 km before joining the Arabian sea in Kumta taluk. The brackish water ecosystem of the Estuary extends to 48 sqkms. The site has 84 species of fish, five species of bivalves, and 45 species of mangroves and mangrove associated species. It also supports 117 bird species. The Estuary supports livelihood activities including fishing, agriculture, collection of edible bivalves and crabs, shrimp aquaculture, traditional fish farming in the estuarine rice fields (locally known as gazni rice fields) bivalve shell mining, and salt production.

ANKASAMUDRA

Ankasamudra Bird Conservation Reserve, located in Hagaribommanahalli Taluk of Vijayanagara District, is 40kms from Hampi. It is an ecologically important man-made wetland, rich in biodiversity, comprising of about 210 species of plants, 8 species of mammals, 25 species of reptiles, 240 species of birds, 41 species of fishes, 3 species of frogs, 27 species of butterflies and 32 species of odonata.

CATCH 'EM YOUNG

Students interact with Joint Connissioner (Traffic) MN Anuchet during the 'My City Traffic Police' campaign at Traffic Police Park on Wednesday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

Govt releases toolkit and manual for Green Index

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FOREST, Environment and Ecology Minister Eshwar Khandre on Wednesday released a toolkit and manual for Green Index, a method to evaluate, analyse and rank environment conservation initiatives of various infrastructure projects and programmes.

Khandre said in the next step, the Green Index portal will be launched.

The index will assess how much recycled materials are used for construction, energy efficiency of sites, energy saved and the implications of infrastructure projects. The same information will also be uploaded on the portal for people to give feedback.

An official from the environment department said based on the measures taken like waste water treatment, use of recycled materials, pollution control, sustainable development, carbon emissions and disaster management, grading will be given in categories — red, orange, light green and dark green (most polluting to least polluting and score 1-4).

The official added that the grading will be for projects and constructions taken up by government and private firms.

GREEN CORNER

New frog species found in B'luru's Rajankunte

BOSKY KHANNA @Bengaluru

A TEAM of six researchers has discovered another new frog species in the city. The species, Sphaerotheca varshaabhu, was found at Budumanahalli near Rajankunte.

The team said this discovery marks a significant milestone in biodiversity research and underscores the resilience of wildlife in the unexpected urban ecosystem. An article on this frog species was published in the international journal, Zootaxa, on Wednesday.

The team noted that earlier in 2020, a new species of burrowing frog named after Bengaluru city, Sphaerotheca bengaluru, was found in the same area.

Chetan Nag, KS, associate professor, Centre for Urban Ecology, Biodiversity, Evolution and Climate Change (CUBEC), Jain University, one of the researchers, told TNIE that the new species was found in a pond. "This new species is a burrow frog. It lives underground and comes up when rainwater moistens the land and water seeps in. These frogs then realise it is monsoon and they come out. It was during such a time, we found this species last year. It was published on January 31. There are many such species found throughout the year. But they are ignored in urban landscapes. People tend to ignore them in the city. We do not know how many more are there," he said.

The discovery of the new species is an outcome of multi-institutional collaboration by Mount Carmel College, Zoological Survey of India (ZSI), Western Regional Centre (WRC), Pune; Jain (Deemed-to-be-University), Bengaluru; Institute of Systematics, Evolution, Biodiversity, National Museum of Natural History, CNRS, Sorbonne University, Paris, France; Centre for Ecological Sciences, Indian Institute of Science, Bengaluru; Laboratory of Animal Behaviour and Conservation, College of Biology and the Environment, Nanjing Forestry University, Jiangsu, China; and Genetics Research Laboratory, Department of Zoology, Yuvaraja College, the University of Mysore.

The researchers said that this calls for a relook at the planning and methods of urbanisation in Bengaluru. The lakes, which are considered dry and dead, are not actually so. It's a natural cycle of them drying up during summer and reviving in monsoon.

Sphaerotheca varshaabhu has adapted to its urban surroundings in surprising ways, displaying behaviours and physical attributes that enable it to navigate the challenges posed by urbanisation.

EXPRESS READ

Dr Ravindranath is in-charge director of Jayadeva

Bengaluru: With the tenure of Dr C N Manjunath as Director of Sri Jayadeva Institute of Cardiovascular Sciences and Research ending on Wednesday, the state government has appointed Dr KS Ravindranath, retired Vice-Chancellor, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, as in-charge director till further orders. Dr Ravindranath was serving as a professor in the Department of Cardiology/Senior Consultant (Contract) at Jayadeva Hospital. Medical Education Department's Under Secretary Manjunath R passed the order on Wednesday. ENS

Ramaiah College of Law clinched the champions title at the Karnataka State Law University Inter-Collegiate Basketball Tournament 2024. The Ramaiah team competed against St Joseph's College of Law in the men's category and SDM College of Law in women's category

595 cases booked against water tankers

In a special drive against water tankers on Tuesday, the city traffic police booked 595 cases and collected Rs 3.35 lakh in fines for various violations. Out of the 595 cases, 252 were for drivers not wearing the prescribed uniform. The police collected Rs 1.26 lakh as fine for this violation. Other violations are 134 no entry cases (Rs 67,000 in fines), 64 no parking cases (Rs 64,000) and 48 defective number plate cases (Rs 24,000). Fourty drivers have been booked for not wearing seat belts and fined Rs 20,000. ENS

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

01ST February : Every day our measurements of the size of the universe get bigger - and bigger. But that might be because the universe is growing larger every minute. Or, at least, that's what we now think is happening. What's more, according to the latest research, the universe will continue to expand for ever and ever. Without end!

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
Many times you have earned the admiration of those who matter most by steadfastly refusing ever to buckle under the strain. Now you can rest on your laurels and relish the fruits of your success. On the whole, this looks like a smooth moment for love, although bear in mind that if you don't take a chance now, you may not have a second opportunity.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
If partners or close companions are currently disagreeable, they will not remain so for long. You will win them over through the sheer power of your quite extraordinary charm. Put some distance between you and stressful situations, just enough to protect your sensitive soul.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
Associates may not share all your aspirations, so do be prepared for negative responses and stony silences. Perhaps there is something missing in your presentation. A lack of tact, maybe? Still, however blunt you are, partners will be even more so!

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
Nobody can question your devotion and loyalty. However, you are likely to over-dramatise the most ordinary events and see offence where none was intended. Try and cultivate a relaxed, even frivolous, outlook. That way you'll be in a much better spirit to cope with partners when they become over-stressed.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
Although there are a number of reassuring aspects this week, you must still face up to certain onerous duties. Thus a buoyant mood will be kept in check by the realisation that your routine must be adhered to. For all creative and romantic Leos, new volcanic passions are about to stir.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
You are probably right to refuse to be rushed, or forced to sign on the dotted line. You cannot make a firm commitment unless you are completely sure that other people hold your interests as dear as their own. You will soon find out that a rival is right, by the way, so be ready to back down if you have to.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
Once again, you are being urged to devote all your time and energy to fulfilling your vision of a better life, even though you may be distracted by a mixture of financial worry and emotional uncertainty. In affairs of the heart, take it easy and play it cool

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
Common sense and sound principles must soon finally convince you that you will have to fight for the truth. Yet keep it in mind that other people are not being wilfully obstructive. They just don't have your breadth of vision. You will soon have to decide whether to confront a partner or leave well alone.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
Like many people at the moment, you must stagger your workload if you are not to be snowed under. You would do well to delegate any tasks at home or at work to people who have the skill and experience to complete them on your behalf - if such people exist, that is!

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
Now that the planets have abandoned that area of your chart ruling domestic matters, concentrate on what is taking place on the home front. The point is that you are now in the driving seat. Yet you still have your doubts, so don't act until you're absolutely ready.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
You may begin to feel that it is pointless going over any more old ground or churning yourself up emotionally for the sake of people who clearly do not value your remarkable gifts. Stick up for yourself for a change and don't let other people walk on your interests, even if they think they do have the right.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
In the past you may have been able to turn a blind eye, but now you cannot avoid facing up to situations which affect your domestic life. Decisive action is what is required, and you will let yourself down if you delay. Colleagues expect you to be up on the facts, so you'd better know what you're talking about!

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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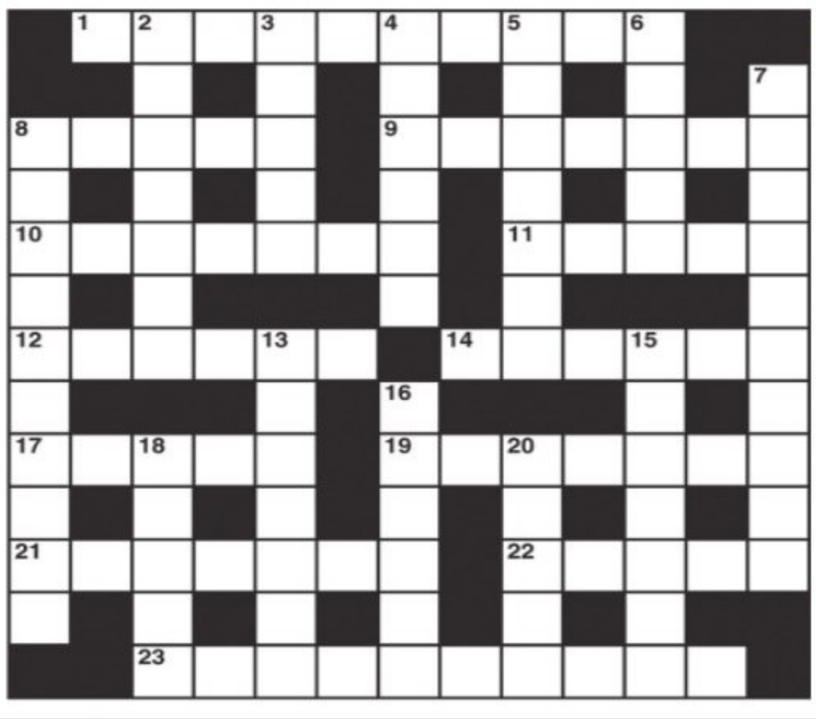

CROSS WORD

ACROSS
1 Abandoned client unsettled by debts (10)
8 Lily reveals a great deal to us (5)
9 It's useless shielding a bad crook (7)
10 The team won't be prepared to play without him (7)
11 The girl I take out (5)
12 Harass the bosses in difficulty (6)
14 Tempt a number to break the ice (6)
17 Spanish wine jar I smashed when empty (5)
19 Leader's wife admitted to consult a naturopath (7)
21 Damage in a way that needs repair to the pool (7)
22 The conductor is reportedly mocked (5)
23 Amazon country? (2,4,4)

DOWN
2 Plainly distressed but retains composure (2,5)
3 Strange sense of locality in Germany (5)
4 A number tucked into a bird in the inn (6)
5 Use suntan lotion - it helps in the rain (7)
6 A way requiring skill to get moving (5)
7 Never ate it turning obstinate (10)
8 Impressive print of thigh or lap perhaps (10)
13 Space for some oar movement (3,4)
15 Scot embraces Hindu Queen of Persia (7)
16 Usual place for a wake (6)
18 Seldom opposite (5)
20 It's permitted in all egalitarian societies (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Hot rod, 4 Grocer, 9 Knitter, 10 Video, 11 Rodeo, 12 Pastime, 13 Rest assured, 18 Deposit, 20 Outre, 22 Clear, 23 Opiates, 24 Disown, 25 Anklet.

Down: 1 Hikers, 2 Tried, 3 Outpost, 5 Raves, 6 Codeine, 7 Rooted, 8 Proposition, 14 Express, 15 Utopian, 16 Educed, 17 Tea set, 19 Screw, 21 Total.

JUMBLE

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

ASESY

FRGTA

TLILET

ATOPOT

By chance we meet
You rest your feet
And your mind will be mine
Thank.....
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Deputy Chief Minister and KPCC president DK Shivakumar on Wednesday said a mega convention of Congress workers would be held in Mangaluru on February 17. The DCM said the convention will be held under the leadership of AICC president Mallikarjuna Kharge, and party workers from across the state will participate

KANNADA BILL RETURNED, NOT REJECTED, SAYS RAJ BHAVAN

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Raj Bhavan on Wednesday clarified that the ordinance to make it mandatory for commercial establishments to have 60% Kannada on signboards was not rejected, but returned to the government with advice to present the Bill in the state legislature for approval.

Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar urged Governor **Thaawarchand Gehlot** to reconsider his decision, while Chief Minister Siddaramaiah said the Bill will be passed in the session. The Governor has not rejected, but only returned the ordinance to the state government with advice to present the Bill before both Houses of the state legislature for approval since the notification for summoning both Houses has already been issued, said a statement issued by R Prabhu Shankar, Special Secretary to the Governor.

While the CM and Kannada and Culture Minister Shivaraj Tangadagi said they would place the Bill and get it approved in the session that will start on February 12, the DCM urged the Governor to reconsider his decision on the ordinance. "Language is an emotional issue for Kannadigas. Neither the citizens nor any political party has raised any concern regarding the Ordinance, and hence, I appeal to him to reconsider Ordinance once again," the DCM said.

Shivakumar said the Governor should have signed it without waiting for the Assembly session. "I don't know why the Governor has sent the Ordinance back, which mandates 60% Kannada in name boards without signing. The Governor should have signed it without waiting for the Assembly session," he said.

Shivakumar said the Ordinance was to protect Kannada, culture, and pride, and the government decided to pass an Ordinance in view of protests by pro-Kannada activists.

"In view of the rejection of the Ordinance, we have decided to introduce a bill on this in the upcoming Assembly session. The session will start in about 10-15 days and this bill will be tabled," the DCM said.

Tangadagi said there was no political reason and the Governor sent back the ordinance as the session date was fixed. The minister said they had sent the Ordinance before the session date was fixed, but since the Governor was unwell and also was out of town, there was a delay in signing it. Now it will be tabled in the session, he said.

CASTE CENSUS MAY BE OUT SOON; BC PANEL CHIEF'S TERM EXTENDED

Report may not be tabled before the state legislature

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE government issued an order extending the tenure of Karnataka State Backward Classes Commission Chairman Jayaprakash Hegde and five other members for another month from February 1 to February 29. The decision has been taken following Hegde's request as the commission was vetting the controversial socio-economic caste survey report to be presented to the government, sources said.

Hegde's tenure had come to an end in November and the Congress government, led by Siddaramaiah, had extended it up to to January 1. Siddaramaiah had said the government will accept the report, but it was opposed by Veerashaiva Lingayat and Vokkaliga communities.

On January 28, Siddaramaiah at the 'Shoshitara Samavesha' held in Chitradurga had reiterated that the government will accept the report. JDS state president HD Kumaraswamy had challenged the government to accept the report.

Now, it is to be seen whether the government will accept the report before February 29 when Hegde's extended term ends. "Even if the government accepts the report, it may not table at the legislature or release it in public domain as it may boomerang on Congress ahead of the Lok Sabha elections," an analyst said.

Final touches

Hegde too expressed confidence that he will present the report to the government. "We have analysed the survey report and will give it final touches before sending it to final print," he said.

"We have extended the commission's tenure based on Hegde's request. Shouldn't a commission chairman be given time as he has sought," Backward Classes Department Minister Shivaraj Tangadagi said. "Let the commission submit the report first, then Siddaramaiah will decide whether to table it in the legislature, " he added.

The Siddaramaiah government in its first tenure had initiated the survey, while then commission chairman Kantharaju completed the process in 2018. But he could not submit it to the government as the member secretary of the commission did not sign it.

The present government has also deferred accepting the report as certain original worksheets have reportedly gone missing.

INCIDENT MUST NOT CAST SHADOW ON SHIVARATHRI: PANCHAYAT MEMBER

Keragodu Panchayat member Shivanand, supported by Congress, on Wednesday urged the district administration to hold a peace meeting to bring back harmony as the village is planning a grand Shivarathri. He said they always celebrate Shivarthri in a grand manner and this incident should not cast a shadow over it. The request to put up a flagpost came before the panchayat and it was approved unanimously at the meeting. The panchayat chief executive officer came to the village after the flag was hoisted, and the members told her that the panchayat had cleared the villagers' request, he narrated. Though members sought a week to hold a peace meeting, she did not give time and asked them about the need to bring down the flag on a holiday, he said.

Hoist Hanuman flag on all homes in Keragodu, other villages: BJP

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@ Mysuru

BJP is planning to organise people in Keragodu village of Mandya district against the ruling Congress for bringing down the Hanuman flag that led to a controversy. The saffron party also exhorted the villagers at Keragodu and a dozen villages around it to hoist Hanuman flags on all their houses.

Though many houses are already flying the flag, BJP wants all of them to do it "to send out a message to the government".

On Wednesday, a delegation of saffron party leaders visited the village and interacted with those injured in the lathicharge. They held a meeting with village headmen and panchayat members to plan the next course of the agitation.

The BJP delegation comprising district party president Indresh, leaders Ashok Jayaram and others criticised the police for picking up a ninth standard

student, a minor, for interrogation for damaging the publicity material of Congress leaders during the protest.

When the team reached the boy's house, his father Papanna closed the door and requested the leaders to leave, saying the family is not interested in politics. Indresh consoled him and assured the family that they would stand by them.

He alleged that the police have created a fear among innocent villagers.

Ashok Jairam said they heard the villagers, panchayat members and Gowrishankar Seva Trust members. He alleged that the police misbehaved inhumanly with the villagers, while officers have not had time to hold a peace meeting in the village. The Congress government has turned into a British Raj, picking a minor boy for interrogation in the early hours, worrying women and children, he added.

Gowrishankara Seva Trust member Anand said all the residents of the village had supported hoisting Hanuman flag on the 108 ft flagpost, but a few vested interests are dividing people. The district administration violated the flag code by hoisting a national flag disproportionate to the size of the flagpole, he added. "We had taken Siddaramaiah in a procession of 101 bullocks to inaugurate the Kannada Rajyotsava celebration in Keragodu. But he has forgotten Keragodu. The district administration should hold peace meetings and set right the lapses. We want the case to be handed over to the CBI. We want Justice and peace," he added.

Congress, BJP lock horns over guarantees; Siddu, DKS douse fire

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@ Bengaluru

THE ruling Congress and opposition BJP have been sparring over the five guarantees rolled out by the Grand Old Party, ahead of the Lok Sabha polls, with Magadi Congress MLA **HC Balakrishna** sparking a controversy, after he reportedly stated that "if the Congress does not get more seats, it is better to stop its guarantees".

Going into damage control mode, both Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar intervened and clarified that the government will never stop the guarantees, which will continue for five years. "The guarantees are meant for the poor and will never be stopped, but will be implemented more effectively," Siddaramaiah said.

"Even after the five guarantees are given to the people of the state, if the Congress does not get more seats in the Lok Sabha election, it is better to cancel them. I have also told Chief Minister Siddaramaiah about this," Balakrishna had stated on Tuesday. At a public meeting in Magadi, he elicited the people's response on whether they needed guarantees to be continued, or the 'akshata' (sacred rice grains) of the BJP distributed during the consecration of Ram temple at Ayodhya.

Meanwhile, on Wednesday, Balakrishna claimed that his intention "was not to blackmail people, but to put forth the reality before the people as to why they must vote for the Congress". "The outcome of the LS polls will mirror the effectiveness of the guarantees, as the people have voted for 'mantrakshate' or guarantees," he stated.

Backward Classes Minister Shivaraj Tangadagi defended Balakrishna, stating that the people of the state have realised that 'akshata' will not fill their empty stomachs.

Slamming Congress and the ministers for their remarks, BJP state president BY Vijayendra said, "Shame on the Congress leaders, who have been blackmailing the people. It's been eight months since they came to power, and not even a single new scheme has been implemented. The people have come onto the streets."

Former DCM Dr CN Ashwathnarayana said the CM, DCM and Congress leaders have not been funding the guarantees from their pockets, rather it is public money that is being spent.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar attend the District In-charge Secretaries Conference at Vidhana Soudha in Bengaluru on Wednesday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

Now, an app to track scheme implementation

ENS @ Bengaluru

CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah launched Pragathi, a mobile app that will help track development and implementation of government schemes in various department at every taluk.

According to a release shared by the Chief Minister's Office, since every department operates various institutions such as hostels, health centres, anganawadis, schools, etc. there is, however, no mechanism in place to collect data of visits by officers to these institutions. The app is expected to streamline this.

Pragathi will help schedule routine inspections for district and taluk-level officers of the department. It will also help assign inter-departmental inspections based on complaints and issues noticed and reported.

Future plans

Linking Pragathi with public grievance application e-Spandana, where complaints received from the public can be assigned to concerned officers

Providing inspection details link on the district website/public domain

Automating the routine inspection process

There will be a centralised reporting system. "With this app, officers will visit institutions regularly, as per an assigned schedule and will learn about the issues and address and resolve them. Senior officials can also keep a track of the officers' visits to various institutions and review issues if any on a monthly basis," it said.

BJP-JDS alliance will win all 28 LS seats, says BYV

ENS @ Chikkamagaluru

EXUDING confidence ahead of the Lok Sabha polls, BJP state president BY Vijayendra has predicted that the BJP-JDS alliance will win all the 28 seats in the election, with the Congress drawing a blank.

Speaking at a function at the party office here, where Devaraja Shetty took charge as the new Chikkamagaluru district BJP president on Wednesday, Vijayendra said the Congress is living in false hope that it will win 20 Lok Sabha seats in the state. "If one looks at the statement of Magadi MLA HC Balakrishna, who said that the five guarantees will be stopped if voters do not ensure the victory of Congress candidates in the LS polls, it seems that the Congress has already accepted its defeat. People are eager to see Narendra Modi as the prime minister again. Development works of the Modi government are giving sleepless nights to Congress leaders," Vijayendra said.

Admitting that the BJP suffered a setback in the Assembly polls due to its own mistakes, the party state chief expressed confidence that the BJP will romp home to power by winning 130 to 140 seats in the next Assembly election. "The state is reeling under drought. Over 500 farmers have committed suicide. But the state government has not come out with any scheme to bail out the farmers. It is only dangling a carrot in the name of guarantees in front of the people," he said.

Leader of the Opposition R Ashoka alleged that CM Siddaramaiah was playing divisive politics by causing fissures among castes. "He hates saffron colour. Siddaramaiah may have Rama in his name, but he has Tipu in his heart," he claimed.

HC stays action on FIR against Sulibele

ENS @ Kalaburagi

THE Kalaburagi bench of Karnataka High Court stayed action on the FIR filed against right wing activist Chakravarti Sulibele, in connection with his speech made at Sirwar in Raichur district recently.

Kalaburagi district unit president of Congress Jagadev Guttedar had filed a complaint against right wing activist Chakravarti Sulibele at Bramhapur police station in Kalaburagi recently. He alleged that Sulibele made insulting remarks in his speech in a programme organised by NAMO Brigade at Sirwar of Raichur district recently.

High Court judge Justice Rajendra Badamikar who heard the petition, stayed further proceedings on the FIRst Berhampur police station on Tuesday and issued notice to the concerned.

Sulibele tweeted on Wednesday that the Kalaburagi district Congress president filed a politically motivated false criminal case FIR against him on behest of Mallikarjun Kharge with the allegations of SC/ST Atrocities Act and some provisions of Indian Penal Code for calling him as "Ayogya" in a public function.

Won't stop guarantees: CM

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CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah said that his government will not stop the five guarantee schemes. They are for the poor and the downtrodden. He was replying to reporters' query on Magadi MLA Balakrishna, who had stated that if people did not vote for the Congress, the guarantee schemes will be stopped.

The state government will hold its second Janaspandana programme on February 8. In this regard, the CM directed the officials to clear the petitions received from the people during the first Janaspandana programme. Action will be taken if they fail to clear the applications, he warned the officials.

CM's ADVICE TO DISTRICT IN-CHARGE SECRETARIES

- Attend legislative sessions without fail and provide answers to questions
- Immediately resolve issues such as non-availability of buses in rural areas
- Take steps to prevent man-animal conflict
- Ensure adequate fodder for cattle
- Gear up to tackle summer-related problems
- Visit your districts twice a month

FORGOTTEN BENEFITS

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah hands over a cheque to manual scavengers and their children, during the Subsidy and Rehabilitation Conference for Manual Scavengers, in Bengaluru on Wednesday. Taking a tough stand against the inhumane practice, Siddaramaiah warned strict legal action against anyone employing people for manual scavenging | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

No bail for GST scam kingpin

ENS @ Mysuru, Benglauru

THE Additional Civil Judge-3 and Judicial Magistrate First Class rejected the bail application of Mohammed Siddiq, the alleged kingpin of the Rs 180 crore GST scam involving steel scrap traders. The total amount traded was over Rs 1,000 crore.

The prosecution argued against granting him bail, so did the commercial tax and GST departments, who opposed the reief, fearing that once enlarged on bail, he could destroy evidence. Siddiq was seeking to come out on bail and the matter was taken up on Wednesday.

Siddiq had virtually set up a maze of fake suppliers. He issued fake tax invoices through fake registrations, misappropriating Input Tax Credit without remitting the taxes to the governments in the initial transaction. He and other culprits, including Imtiaz from Bantwal, could face serious charges under GST, IT and other penal sections related to economic offences.

Tax sleuths have been investigating the scam after they got the first whiff early in January. This concerns steel rerollers where scrap traders or kabadi wallahs used fake transactions to beat the GST collection on scrap, which is 18 per cent. The sleuths raided properties belonging to Siddiq and his associates, and found bank passwords and authorisation by many benami persons who are his accomplices spread across parts of Karnataka, Kerala and Tamil Nadu.

The couple, who had eloped, resulting in a woman being stripped and assaulted by group of people at Hosa Vantamuri village in Belagavi taluk on December 11, 2023, finally entered wedlock on Tuesday (January 30) and registered their marriage at South Zone Sub-Registrar's office in Belagavi

Justice PS Dinesh Kumar is Chief Justice of K'taka HC

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@ Bengaluru

JUSTICE P S Dinesh Kumar was appointed Chief Justice of the Karnataka High Court on Wednesday. The President appointed him following the recommendation by the Supreme Court collegium.

Justice PS Dinesh Kumar

Following the appointment of then Chief Justice of the Karnataka High Court Prasanna B Varale as judge of the Supreme Court, Justice Kumar, who is the senior most judge of the Karnataka High Court, was appointed as Acting Chief Justice on January 24. Justice Kumar is due to demit office on superannuation on February 24, and will have a tenure as Chief Justice for less than a month.

While recommending elevating Justice Kumar, who was appointed judge of the High Court on January 2, 2015, as Chief Justice, the collegium noted that he was endowed with a high level of integrity, honesty and competence, and also served the institution with distinction since his appointment.

Born on February 25, 1962, Justice Kumar studied at the National High School, National College and BMS College in Bengaluru.

2 held for sexually harassing women

ENS @ Bengaluru

TWO persons have been arrested for sexually harassing women in separate incidents reported in Vijayanagar and Mahadevapura police station limits.

In the first case, the Vijayanagar police arrested a domestic gas delivery agent on Wednesday for sexually harassing a woman customer at a hotel on December 30, 2023. The incident came to light when the video footage went viral. The accused told the police that his friends threw him a challenge to touch the victim when she was near the cash counter. The victim had refused to file a police report. The police had taken the complaint from the hotel manager.

The accused has been identified as Chandan, a resident of Hampi Nagar in RPC Layout. The CCTV footage at the hotel showed the accused approaching the woman and touching her from behind. His friends reportedly whistled following the harassment. The victim started arguing with the accused and when people started gathering, he fled the spot.

In the second case, the Mahadevapura police arrested a 35-year-old Sunil Kumar Sharma for sexually harassing a woman around 8.40 pm on January 5 on the Ring Road. The victim was waiting for her friends in her car at the parking space opposite a business park when the accused came near the vehicle and started staring at her and making indecent gestures. The victim locked the car doors and tried to drive away from the spot. Since another car was parked behind her, she could not go. He started circling the car while staring at her. The victim then hid under the steering wheel and called her friends. But the accused left by then.

The victim posted about her ordeal on X seeking police protection. The Mahadevapura police contacted the victim and and arrested the accused.

GUARDS RUSHED STUDENT TO HOSP, BUT IT WAS TOO LATE

First-yr BBA student goes to adjacent engineering block to end life; Cops ask for CCTV footage

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

AN 18-year-old first year BBA student died by suicide by jumping from the 6th floor of a building on the campus of a private university near Electronic City on Hosur Road. The incident happened on Tuesday at 4.30 pm.

The victim ended his life one hour after his classes. He is said to have gone to the adjacent engineering block and jumped through the sliding windows. He was immediately rushed to the a hospital within the compound and was declared dead around 5.10 pm. The police have registered a case of unnatural death. The police have asked the management to submit the CCTV footage of the passages and other details of the victim. The exact reason for the suicide is yet to be ascertained.

The victim, identified as Vignesh Karupuswamy, was a resident of Raghavendra Layout near Begur in Hongasandra. His father Karupuswamy is a businessman. Soon after he jumped, the guards rushed him to the hospital within five minutes. He was declared dead around 5.10 pm after multiple check-ups.

The victim hailed from Tamil Nadu and was staying with his parents and sister.

Attended classes

The body was handed over to his parents after the postmortem at Victoria Hospital.

"Vignesh attended classes till 3.30 pm on Tuesday. After the classes, he went to the canteen on the fourth floor of the engineering block. After ordering a juice, he kept sitting in the canteen despite his friends leaving. The canteen staff asked him to leave as it was getting late. Using the stairs, he went to the sixth floor. Since the doors to the terrace were locked, he opened the sliding windows of the sixth floor and jumped from it," said an officer, who is part of the investigation.

The Parappana Agrahara police have registered a case and are further investigating.

Varsity exploring personal reasons for BBA student's suicide

BENGALURU: The private university, where a BBA student ended his life, stated that the university does not have any exams or any measured academic activity for the BBA programme at this point in the calendar. Adding that Vignesh, 18, did not take the extreme step due to academic pressure, the management stated, "We have been looking for answers." When TNIE spoke to the university vice-chancellor, he said the institution has a strong mentorship system, where every 30 students are assigned a dedicated faculty mentor to provide support to students. "Vignesh also participated in these one-on-one mentorship sessions and none of these sessions have thrown any red flags. This observation is prompting us to explore his personal space. We also have a robust counselling system and during the lectures, mental health experts are available for students to share their grievances," he added. The lectures and events scheduled on Wednesday were cancelled at the campus. The VC said that a condolence meeting will be held on Thursday for students to mourn the death of the student. "Counsellors will also be made available to help students process the trauma," the VC said. **ENS**

NSUI to stage protest

BENGALURU: Some activists and student groups in the city, along with the National Students Union India (NSUI), are planning to hold protests against the university in the coming days. They also plan to submit a memorandum to Higher Education Minister Dr MC Sudhakar to take strict action against the university authorities. Highlighting that this is the third suicide on the campus in the last six months, Dushyant Dubey, Ffunder, St Broseph Foundation and a social activist said, "We want the government to intervene and register a suo motu case." The group will request the government to introduce stringent laws to combat ragging. **ENS**

High Court dismisses ex-MLA's plea against sale of mortgaged land

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE High Court of Karnataka has rejected a petition filed by former MLA Anil H Lad questioning the sale of his mortgaged land in Jala hobli by a bank. The petition was filed nine years after the auction of the land, stating that he was not aware of the sale although he knew it well.

The petitioner (Lad) cannot wake up from deep slumber and begin to assert his right as and when he wants, said Justice M Nagaprasanna while dismissing the petition filed by Lad, questioning the Debt Recovery Tribunal's (DRT) order, on the grounds of delay.

Anil Lad was a guarantor to the Rs 12.67-crore loan availed by M/s VS Lad and Sons from PNB in 2008 and his two acres of land at Shettigere village in Jala hobli was offered as security. Later, the credit facility was modified as the value of the property offered for mortgage was assessed at Rs 8 crore.

The bank initiated proceedings under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, and finally, the land was auctioned in favour of M/s Universal Builders in 2014. Lad questioned it before the DRT, which dismissed the same in May 2015. Although he was aware of it and without challenging the DRT's order immediately, he moved the high court in 2024 alleging that the bank played fraud by keeping him in the dark without divulging the sale of land, and hence, his case be entertained without reference to any delay.

WARM WELCOME

Apostolic Nuncio to India and Nepal Archbishop Andrews Thazhath (right) felicitates Secretary General of CBCI Bishop Leopoldo Girelli at the Catholic Bishops Conference of India in Bengaluru on Wednesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

VIDEO HELPS POLICE TRACE MISSING PERSON

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RAO refused to reunite with his family and wants to live with the members of the transgender community in Mysuru.

Rao went missing in 2017 and his family filed a missing complaint in Ijoor police station. He used to work in a chicken stall. In 2015, he got married and had two children. In March 2017, Rao, who went to work, never returned home. Rao remained untraced despite his wife's missing complaint. Meanwhile, his wife was forced to get married again by her parents. But she decided to wait for Rao's return. After examining the video, the police contacted Rao's family members. They confirmed that the person indeed is Rao. The police traced the transgender activist, who had uploaded the video, and got Rao's address.

A police team from Ijoor went to Mysuru on January 22 and met the transgender. The transgender revealed her name as Vijayalakshmi. During interrogation, Vijayalakshmi maintained that she is not Rao. The police, through their intelligence network, found that Vijayalakshmi is indeed Rao. After transforming himself into a transgender and changing name, Rao alias Vijayalakshmi started living in Mysuru along with other members of the transgender community. "When Rao went missing, he was 31. As Vijayalakshmi was a hard nut to crack, we decided to let her go. When she was leaving the police station, one of our policemen gave a last try. He called her Lakshman loudly. The transgender responded immediately by looking back. This confirmed that she is Rao. The complainant and her father refused to talk to Vijayalakshmi at the police station," said a police officer.

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Arrived Sept 1, 1938 - Departed Feb 1, 2015
"You vacated your earthly abode since nine years: Your absence is marked by a cascade of tears: Your memory is an eternal flame; Which glows at the mention of your name"

ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ
ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು- 560064, ಯಲಹಂಕ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಅಟ್ಟೂರು ಅಂಚೆ, ಅಟ್ಟೂರು ಬಡಾವಣೆ, 1ನೇ 'ಎ' ಮುಖ್ಯರಸ್ತೆ, 5ನೇ ಅಡ್ಡರಸ್ತೆ, ಮನೆ ನಂ.44 ರಲ್ಲಿ ವಾಸವಾಗಿರುವ ಹೆಚ್.ಎಸ್.ಸುಬ್ಬರಾಮಯ್ಯ ರವರ ಮಗನಾದ ನಾನು ಎಸ್.ಶ್ರೀನಾಥ್ ಆದ ನಾನು ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಯಪಡಿಸುವುದೇನೆಂದರೆ, ಮುನಿವೆಂಕಟಪ್ಪ ರವರ ಮಗನಾದ ರಾಮಕೃಷ್ಣಯ್ಯ ರವರಿಗೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 22-05-1980 ರಂದು ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಉತ್ತರ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕಿನ ಅಟ್ಟೂರು ಗ್ರಾಮದಲ್ಲಿನ 34ನೇ ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂಬರಿನಲ್ಲಿರುವ 25ನೇ ನಂಬರಿನ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಮಂಜೂರು ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ನಾನು ದಿ.24-06-2010 ರಂದು ಸದರಿ ಜಾಗವನ್ನು ಕ್ರಯ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಪದ ನಂತರ ರಾಮಕೃಷ್ಣಯ್ಯ ರವರ ಕುಟುಂಬದವರು ನನ್ನ ಸಂಪರ್ಕಕ್ಕೆ ಬಾರದೆ ಇರುವ ಕಾರಣದಿಂದ ಇವರುಗಳು ಯಾರಾದರೂ ತಿಳಿಯುಂದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಥವಾ ಸಿಕ್ಕಲ್ಲಿ ದಯಮಾಡಿ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ವಿಳಾಸಕ್ಕೆ ಅಥವಾ ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ವಕೀಲರ ವಿಳಾಸಕ್ಕೆ ಅಥವಾ ಮೊಬೈಲ್ ನಂಬರ್‌ಗೆ ತಿಳಿಸಲು ಕೋರಿದೆ.
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ಕಛೇರಿ ವಿಳಾಸ: #3755, ಸಂಪ್ರತಿ ದೇಶದಮೇಟೆ
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Shri Siddaramaiah
Hon'ble Chief Minister of Karnataka

Attention: All Govt/Private Mental Health Establishments and Professionals! Register Online.

Department of Health and Family Welfare

NOTIFICATION
Mandatory Registration
OF MENTAL HEALTH ESTABLISHMENTS AND MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS UNDER THE MENTAL HEALTHCARE ACT 2017

According to Sec 65(1) of the Mental Health Care Act 2017, "No Person or organization shall establish or run a mental health establishment unless it has been registered with the Authority under the provisions of this Act"

Government and Private Mental Health Establishments/De-addiction Centers/ Rehabilitation Centers and Mental health professionals are required to register through link
https://e-manas.karnataka.gov.in/mhms_mhd/#/

Penalties for Non-Registration in violation of the Mental Health Care Act 2017

Mental Health Establishments	
1st Penalty	Rs.5,000/-(min) to Rs.50,000/-
2nd Penalty	Rs.50,000/- (min) to Rs.2,00,000/-
3rd Penalty	Rs.2,00,000/-(min) to Rs.5,00,000/-

Mental Health Professionals serving in non-registered mental health Establishments shall be liable for a penalty of up to **Rs.25,000/-**

Sd/- Chief Executive Officer, Karnataka State Mental Health Authority & Commissioner, Health & Family Welfare Services, Bangaluru

Shri D.K. Shivakumar
Hon'ble Dy. Chief Minister of Karnataka

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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The following borrower/s have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loans facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loans have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). A notice was issued to them under Section 13 (2) of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act-2002 on their last known addresses, however it was not served and hence they are hereby notified by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Property Address of Secured Asset / Asset to be Enforced	Date of Notice Sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Threjovathamma K R/ Sharadamma/ No 199 1st Main Road Gandhi Nagar Kolar Kolar- 563101/ LBBNG00005407891	(As described in the Loan document / property document covering All that piece and parcel of Property bearing No 2 1 518 401, Old Property No130/150 Situated at 401, 17th Cross Road, Block No. 1, Gandhinagar, Kolar District measuring East to West 40 Feet and North to South 60 feet and bounded on the North: Site belongs to Hanumanthappa South: Road East: No 18 belongs to Muniyappa West: Site belongs to M. Narayanappa	07/12/2023/ Rs. 19,58,262.00/-	03/08/ 2023
2.	Shruthi/ K N Avinash/ No 215 1st Floor 7th Cross Lakshmi Layout Bangalore- 560076/ LBBNG00005863745 & LBBNG00005884350	All that piece and parcel of the Residential Vacant Site bearing No.187, Katha No.4292, formed in converted Survey Nos.10/3 and 133/2, Vide conversion order No.B.DIS.ALN.SR.(S)419/92-93, dated: 22-05-1993, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, duly converted from agricultural to nonagricultural residential purposes, situated at Gottigere Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Presently comes under the jurisdiction of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Ward No.196, Bangalore, having New Property No.2953/4292/187, together with all rights, appurtenances, whatsoever underneath or above the surface and bounded on the: East by: Site No.186 West by: Road North by: Road South by: Site No.188 and 189 Measuring: East To West: 45.5 North To South: 41.5 Feet In All Measuring: 1888.25 Square Feet	07/12/2023/ Rs. 99,13,277.00/-	03/10/ 2023
3.	Mahaboob Pasha/ Fareeda/ S O Basha Kr Road Behind Minividana Soudha Kammavarjpete Hosakote Karnataka Bangalore- 562114/ LBBNG00004920869 & LBBNG00005363506 & LBBNG00004932358	(As described in the Loan document / property document covering Property bearing Municipal Katha No.2713,Old Katha No.2287, 2019, 1569, 1426,Situated at Kammavarapet, Hoskote Town, Bangalore Rural District,measuring East to West 34 feet and North to South 39 feet in total super built up area measuring on 1326 sq.ft and bounded on the: North: Road South: Shariff Saheb's Childern's House; East: Subansab's House West: Kyalanur Babsaheb's House	07/12/2023/ Rs. 69,76,732.00/-	03/10/ 2023
4.	Prabhakar N/ Nirmala T/ 2nd Floor No 3/1 Katha No 60/8 2nd Cross Opp Indain Overseas Bank Begur Road Bommanahalli Karnataka Bangalore- 560072/ LBBNG00005510003 & LBBNG00005966909	All that piece and parcel of the Immovable Vacant Property bearing Site No. 21 (Twenty One), old V.P. Khatha Nos.1275, 1276 and 1277, V.P. Khatha No. 1363, Present BBMP Sl. No. 354 and 440, formed out of Residentially Converted Sy. No.15/5 (vide Conversion Orders (1) No.B.Dis.ALN.SR. (S) 331/2001-02, dated 26-04-2002, (2) No.B.Dis.ALN.SR. (S) 332/2001-02, dated 26-04-2002, and (3)No.B.Dis.ALN.SR. (S) 333/2001-02, dated 26-04-2002, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District) situated at Pillaganahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, Within the limits of B.B.M.P. Bangalore and measuring: East to West :40'.0" (Forty) Feet, North to South: 30'.0" (Thirty) Feet, Totally measuring:1200 Square Feet, and bounded on the:- East By: Road, West By: Site No. 20, North By: Site No. 22, South By: Road	07/12/2023/ Rs. 58,56,467.00/-	03/10/ 2023
5.	Pyari Mohan Das/ B S Harshitha/ S S 2075 Shobha Hill View Apartment Bangalore Urban Karnataka Bangalore- 560062/ TBBNG00006228870	Schedule 'A': (Description of the Land on which Project is being Developed) All That Property being land measuring (I) 1 Acre 24 Guntas in Survey No.7/2 (New Sy. No. 53), (ii) 4 Acres in Sy.No.7/3 (New Sy. No. 51) (iii) 1 Acre 5 Guntas in Sy.No.7/4 (iv) 3 Acres 38 Guntas (excluding 2 guntas of karab) in Sy.No.7/5, (v) 3 Acres 37 Guntas (excluding 3 guntas of karab) in Sy.No.7/6 (New Sy. No. 52) and (vi) 0 Acre 29 Guntas (excluding 1 gunta of karab) in Sy.No.7/10 (New Sy. No. 45P), in all totally admeasuring 15 Acres 13 Guntas, all situated in Uttarahalli Manavarthe Kaval Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, duly converted for non-agricultural residential purposes vide Orders of The Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore bearing (1) No.ALN.SR. 236/02-03 dated 13/12/2002, (2) No.ALN.SR.237/02-03 dated 13/12/2002 and (3) No.ALN.SR.274/00-01 dated 22/06/2001 and bounded by: East: Private Property; West: Road, and Land in Sy.No.7/2 (New Sy. No. 57); North: BDA Road and thereafter Private Property; South :Property belonging to M/s. Hara Developers. :Schedule 'B': (Description of the Undivided Share agreed to be sold) 890/1453453th undivided right, title and interest and Ownership in Schedule "A" Property. :Schedule 'C': (Description of the Apartment being Constructed) Residential Apartment bearing No. 4136, situated on 13th Floor, Tower No. T4in "Prestige Primrose Hillsphase I", being developed on Schedule "A" - Property, measuring 611 sq.ft. of carpet area 890 sq.ft. of super built up area, (Inclusive of proportionate share in all the common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use) and with One Covered car parking slot.	07/12/2023/ Rs. 29,09,512.00/-	31/10/ 2023
6.	Pyari Mohan Das/ Vilas V Alur/ S S 2075 7th Floor Sobha Hill View Apartment Visl Layout Thalaghattapura Bangalore- 560062/ LBBNG00005235696	(As described in the Loan document / property document covering All that piece and parcel of the vacant Immovable Residential Property bearing Plot No.20, Khata No.479/20 in the layout by name "Mantri Lakeview", formed in the Property bearing Survey No.7/13 of Manavarthekaval Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, measuring 4189 square feet or 389 square meters, with all rights, appurtenance whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded on North: Private Property, South: Road East: Property bearing Plot No.21, West: Garden	07/12/2023/ Rs. 55,68,955.00/-	31/10/ 2023
7.	Shashikala Nagendra/ C N Anand/ No 14 1st Floor 9th Cross Kalingrarao Road Ben Bangalore Karnataka Bangalore- 560070/ LBBNG00005738891	All that piece and parcel of site property No.23-2-527-158, Ward No.23, Property old katha no,3394/117, bearing katha No. D6/370/7909/3394/117 site no.112, situated at Cheeranahalli road, Udayagiri Badavane, Mandya City (Within the jurisdiction of Mandya Nagarasabha) measuring East to West 9.144018 feet and North to South 12.192024 feet in total super built up area 111.4836 sq.mtr of RCC building bounded on:- East by: 23-2-527-160 West by: 23-2-527-156 North by : Road 527 South by: 23-2-528, 23-2-528-207 R.C.C. house with ground floor measuring 32,887662 sq.mtrs with mosaic flooring and Ground floor measuring 68,376608 sq.mtrs with mosaic floor covering entire property including R.C.C. house.	07/12/2023/ Rs. 50,99,091.00/-	03/10/ 2023
8.	Adharsha S H / 14 2 Machohalli Magavi Main Road Machohalli Bapanagar Bangalore- 560091/ LBBNG00006023689 & LBBNG00006116436	Schedule of the Properiy All that piece and parcel of Residential Property bearing Site No. 30,31 & 32, Khatha No. 329/141/280/30,31,32, the property comes under Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, formed out of converted Survey No,01 converted for nonagricultural purpose vide official memorandum No.B.DIS ALN.SR. (NA): 50/88-89, Dated20 07-1991, issued by special deputy commissioner Bangalore totally measuring 4500 Sq. Feet. East By : Sites Bearing No 32a and 32b West By : Site No 29 North By : Road South By : Site No's 33, 34, 35 Schedule 'B' Property All that piece and parcel of Residential Apartment bearing Flat No.02, in the First Floor, situated at AMS Layout, Chikkabettahalli, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore., of the Schedule 'A' Property with super built up area of 1150 Sq. Feet. Known as 'Ramya Tulip' comprising of Two Bed Rooms, with the vitrified flooring along with the car parking space for one car including proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircases etc. together with 268.04 Sq. Ft. of undivided share, right, title and interest in the Schedule 'A' Property.	08/12/2023/ Rs. 52,07,899.00/-	03/10/ 2023
9.	Biju K/ Soniya B/ No 203 Mahaveer Despire Appt Old Railway Station Chikabanav Bangalore- 560090/ LBBNG00002924583 & LBBNG00002924585	A) All hat piece and parcel of land bearing converted Survey No.28/1, Measuring 0-16 guntas, out of 0-39 gutnas, vide Conversion Order No:ALN.SR.(N).219/2003-04 dated. 17.04.2004, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, Situated at Chikkasandra Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Presently comes under the limits of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No.12, Bangalore which is bounded on:- East by : 25 Feet Road, West by : 20 Feet Road, North by : Property in Sy.No.28/2, South by : Government Road. B) All that piece and parcel of land bearing converted Sy.No.28/2 measuring 1 Acre 0-06 guntas, vide Conversion Order No:ALN.SR(N).217/2003-04 dated. 17.04.2004, order issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District, Bangalore, Presently comes under the limits of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No.12, Situated at Chikkasandra Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore, which is bounded on: East by : Property in Sy.No.28/4, West by : Halla, North by : Property of Chowdappa South by : Property in Sy.No.28/1. Schedule 'B' Property 0.42% undivided right, title and interest in the Schedule-A Property mentioned above which would work out to 420 square feet approximately of the Schedule-A Property in the subject matter of this Agreement. Schedule 'C' Apartment Apartment No.203, on 2nd Floor, having Super Built Area of 1000 square feet in the building known as "Mahaveer Desire" constructed on the Schedule-A Property with the floors, ceiling and walls between units jointly belonging to such Apartment Owners equally including common area with one Covered Car Parking. The construction is of Ceramic Flooring, Aluminium Windows and Teak Wood and Sal Wood frames and Doors, separate Electricity, Common Water including common area rights and Bounded On:- East by : Apartment bearing Flat No.202 West by : Remaining Portion of Same Survey No Land North by : Corridor South by : Remaining Portion of Same Survey No Land.	08/12/2023/ Rs. 26,56,780.00/-	03/10/ 2023
10.	Madhavi Viswanath/ K Vivek/ 953 65th Cross 5th Block Rajaji Nagar Bangalore- 560010/ LBBNG00004860460 & LBBNG00004915537	Schedule 'A' Property All that piece and parcel of the property bearing New Khatha nos.48, 49, 50 & 51, issued by Bidrahalli panchyat office (Sy. No.24 measuring 26 guntas, Sy.No.23/1 measuring 2 acre 7 guntas, Sy.No.22/1 & 22/2 measuring 4 acre, and Sy.No.22/3 measuring 3 acre 15 guntas, totally measuring 10 acres 8 guntas (Approximately measuring 444312 Sq.ft) of land converted from agricultural to non-agricultural residential purpose, situated at Kammasandra Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk and bounded on: East by: Road, West by: Sy.No. 25 26 & 27 North by: Sy.no.20 & 21, South by : Byappanhalli village boundary. Schedule-B An undivided of share, right title and interest equivalent to 19.41 Sq.mts in Schedule 'A' Property. Schedule-C (Apartment to be constructed) All that piece and parcel of flat bearing No B2E0708 on the floor 07 and consisting of Two bedroom, hall, kitchen and proportionate share in common areas such as Passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use together with One Covered car park with a super built up area of 696.48 Sq.ft in the building known as "Pashmina Brookwoods to be constructed on Schedule "A" Property.	11/12/2023/ Rs. 29,89,931.00/-	03/09/ 2023
11.	Sandhya Choudhary/ Rajeev Choudhary/ Net Zone 731 M R Complex 14th Main Road Kumaraswamy Layout Karnataka Bangalore- 560078/ LBBNG00004840035 & LBBNG00004913553	Schedule 'A' Property (Description of the entire land Area) Item No.1 All that piece and parcel of the Converted Land measuring 1.00 Acre (One Acre) converted vide Official Memorandum bearing No. B.DIS.ALN. (S)SR(K.T)64/2004-2005 dated 15-7-2004 of the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, comprised in Sy.No.101/1, situated at Valagerehalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, presently coming under the limits of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Kengeri Upavalaya, vide Katha SL.No.2563, and bounded on the: East by : Bangalore-Mysore Road West by : Land in Sy. No.70 North by : Land in Sy.Nos. 101/2A & 101/28 South by: Portion of land in Sy.No.101/1 owned by Mr. Sheriff Item No.2 All that piece and parcel of the Converted Land measuring 1 Acre 33 Guntas (One Acre And Thirty Three Guntas) converted vide Official Memorandum bearing No. B.DIS.ALN.(S)SR(K.T) 63/2004-2005 dated 15-7- 2004 of the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, comprised in Sy. No. 101/2A, situated at Valagerehalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Balgalore, presently coming under the limits of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Kengeri Upavalaya, vide Katha SL.No.2563, and bounded on the: East by: Land in Sy. No. 101/28 West by: Land in Sy.No. 70 North by: Land in Sy.No.71 South by: Land in Sy.No.101/1 Schedule B Property 364 Sq.ft., of Undivided Share, right, title and interest in the Schedule "A" Property hereby conveyed by the Vendors to the Purchasers. Schedule "C" Property Flat No.A-502, Fifth Floor, Block-A, in the "MBR Shangri-LA", constructed on the Schedule A Property, having a super built-up Area measuring 1310 square feet, (Balcony / Utility / Common Area etc 465 Sq feet & Carpet Area 845 Sq feet) having RCC Roofing, vitrified Tiles Floors, Sal Wood Doors & Aluminium windows, and Separate Electricity connections, Common Water and Sanitation, Including common area rights with One Covered Car parking slot and including all rights, privileges, appurtenances thereto and Bounded on East by: Set Back West by: Corridor North by: Flat No. A-501 South by: Flat No. A-503	11/12/2023/ Rs. 47,67,941.00/-	03/10/ 2023
12.	Vidya R/ Pugazhendhi A/ Fb No 397 Hal Central Town Ship Old Air Port Road Marathalli, Bangalore Next To Hal Police Station, Marthahalli Bangalore- 560037/ LBBNG00002910114	Schedule 'A' Property (Description of the Property on which Apartment is being Constructed) All that Piece and parcel of the Property bearing Portion of H.A.S.B. Survey no. 201/1B, Katha No. 137/3, Then Katha No. 251/173/3, Present BBMP Katha No. 1273-251/173/3, Situated at Doddanekkundi Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Now comes under B.B.M.P. Limits, Ward No. 85, Measuring East to West: 30 Feet, North to South: 40 Feet, Totally measuring: 1200 Sq. ft., and bounded on East by: Poomani's Property; West by : Narayanan's Property; North by: Private Property; South by: Road; Together with 800 Square Feet RCC Roofed Residential Building comprising of Ground Floor having Vitrified Tiles Flooring and Doors & Windows of Salwood provided with all basic civic amenities.	11/12/2023/ Rs. 21,04,937.00/-	03/10/ 2023
13.	Fouzia Mahmood/ Mahmood N Abdul Wahid/ Flat No 102 1st Floor Hutchins Apartment 3rd Cross Hutchins Road St Thomas Town Bangalore North Banglore- 560084/ LBBNG00004674529	Schedule 'A' Property (Description of the Property on which Apartment is being Constructed) All that piece and parcel of the immovable property comprising converted land, [converted from agricultural use to non-agricultural residential purpose by means of Order No. ALN- (EVH)-SR-2/08-09 dated 09-09-2010 passed by the Spl. Deputy Commissioner (Rev.), Bangalore Dist.] bearing Sy.No.189 of Kodathi Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, measuring 2 Acre 05 Guntas, and bounded on: East by: Land belonged to Shivanagappa in Sy.No.188 West by: Property of Shivahanumantappa in Sy.No.190 North by : Land belonged to Krishna Reddy in Sy.No.193 South by: 40 Ft. Road and thereafter Sy. No.79 along with all rights of way, water, sanitation, easementary and other rights and appurtenances attached thereto. Schedule" B" Property (Description of Undivided share of land agreed to be Conveyed) 600 Sq. Ft. of undivided share, rights, title and interest in the Schedule "A" Property, which is the corresponding undivided share of land and common areas, in respect of Schedule "C" Apartment unit. Schedule "c" Property (Description of the Apartment Unit agreed to be Conveyed) All that piece and parcel of immovable property comprising one apartment unit, i.e., Flat No.404, situated in Fourth Floor, 'D' Block, measuring a super buit-up area of 1200 Sq. Ft., (which is also inclusive of balconies and a proportionate share in the coramon areas), with One Covered Parking Space in the Basement Floor, in the residential apartment Building known as "Kings Square" constructed on the Schedule-A Property.	11/12/2023/ Rs. 36,58,952.00/-	03/10/ 2023
14.	Neeraj Kumar/ Manju Devi/ No 237 Maithri Layout 5th Main Channasandra Main Road Nr Hope Farm Bangalore- 560066/ LBBNG00005969232	Schedule 'A' Property All that piece and parcel of the immovable Property bearing Converted Sy No.50/3 (converted from agricultural to non-agricultural residential purpose vide Conversion order bearing No. ALN SR (A)192:95-96, dated 23.01.1996, issued by the Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore South, Sub-Division, Bangalore.), present E katha No. 150200100100600310, situated at Sompura Village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, measuring East to West (94.6 + 82)/2 feet and North to South (310.6 +299)/2 feet, totally Measuring 25,914.412; with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface and bounded on; East by: Private Property; West by : Private Property; North by : Road South by: Private Property; Schedule "B" 435 Sq. feet undivided right, title and interest in the immovable property mentioned in Schedule "A" above. Schedule "C" Flat bearing No.210, on the Second Floor, Present E-Katha Property No. 150200100100622673, measuring 1095 Sq. Feet Super Built-up Area, containing Two Bedroom, Hall, Kitchen, together with One covered Car Parking Space, including proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircase, Terrace, contained in the multistoried building to be constructed on the Schedule A Property known as "SNR Magnolia Park" and bounded on: East by : Corridor and Flat No.202 West by : Private Property. North by : Flat No. 211. South by : Flat no 209.	11/12/2023/ Rs. 35,92,740.00/-	07/10/ 2023
15.	K L Sujatha/ Pk Prasanna Kuma/ E 92/1-38 4th Main 2nd Cross Muneshwara Nagar Gyava Bharatathi Quaters Near Ullal Main Road Bangalore- 560056/ LBBNG00004386524	All That Piece and Parcel of The Immovable Property Bearing No.9/A, Bbmp Katha Serial No.1397, Bbmp Katha No.68/7/9A, Situated At Mallathahalli, Ullala Main Road, Muneshwara Nagar, Bangalore-560 056, (Previously) Old Katha No.153, Assessment No.68/7, Situated At Mallathahalli Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, This Property Presently Within The Jurisdiction Of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Jnanabharathi Ward No.129, Bangalore, Comprising Of 5 [Five] Square, Rcc Roofed Shop, Constructed Wall With Using Cement And Brick, Red-Oxide Flooring And Having Common Amenities Like Electricity Connections With All Civic Amenities Therein, And Measuring:- East To West : 16-0 [Sixteen] Feet, North To South : 53-0 [Fifty Three] Feet, Totally Measuring: 848 Square Feet, And Bounded On The:- East By: Site No.9, West By: Site No.8, North By: Site No.13/A, South By: Road,	12/12/2023/ Rs. 31,41,908.00/-	03/10/ 2023
16.	Premkumar Ramamoorthy Kavitha Thyagarajan/ No 176 5th Street Ganesh Nagar, Vellore Arakonnam Tamil Nadu- 631003/ LBBNG00005603607	Schedule 'A' Property All That Piece And Parcel of converted land in Survey Number 113/3, (old No.113), measuring 01 Acre 10 Guntas, (Converted to Non-Agricultural purpose vide official Memorandum bearing No. BDS: ALN(E) (B)SR68/2007-08, dated 05/11/2008, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore), presently BBMP Katha NO 28, situated at Byrathi Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk Bangalore, with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface and bounded on the. East by : Land in Survey No.139; West by : Remaining portion of land in Survey No.113 and now assigned as Survey No. 113/1; North by : Remaining portion of Land in Sy No.113 and now assigned as Survey No.113/2. South by : Approach Road and remaining portion of land in Survey No.113 and now assigned as Survey No.113/4; Schedule 'B' Property All That Piece And Parcel of Vacant site property bearing Site No. 19 formed in the residential sites at Schedule 'A' Property. The Site No.19 East To West 55 feet, North to South 30 feet, totally 1650 Sq feet formed in Survey Number 113/3, (old No.113), measuring 01 Acre 10 Guntas, (Converted to Non-Agricultural purpose vide official Memorandum bearing No. BOS:ALN(E) (B)SR68/2008-09, dated 05/11/2008, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore), situated at Byrathi Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore, with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface and bounded on the East by: Road West by: Remaining portion of land in Survey No. 113 and Now assigned as Survey No. 113/1 North by: Site No 20 South by: Site No 18	13/12/2023/ Rs. 62,43,681.00/-	03/09/ 2023
17.	Nishant Bahadur/ Payyal Mittal/ Flat No. H 001 Sundaram Madhuram Ground Floor Ecc Road Pattanduru Agaara Village White Field Bangalore- 560066/ LBBNG00005286261	Schedule 'A' Property All that piece and parcel of property bearing Present BBMP Katha No.1228/Sy.No.143/1AMunicipal No.34, Converted Sy.No.143/1A, (converted for residential purpose vide Conversion Order No. BDIS/ALN/S.R/(E):69/2003-04 dated 28/07/2003, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Dist, Bangalore), situated at Pattanduru Agrahara Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore, presently under the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP, totally measuring about 95438.01 Sq.feet, and bounded on the East by: Common Road; West by: Road leading to Whitefield Road; North by: Common Road; South by: Formerly Plot No. E being part of Collinwood Estate and presently residential apartments building called "Prestige Langleigh"; Schedule-B 738 Sq.feet. Undivided right, tile and interest in the immovable property mentioned in Schedule "A" above. Schedule-C Flat bearing No.H001, in the Ground Floor of the Apartment building known as "Sumadhura's Madhuram" having a super built up area of 1945 Sq.ft., containing Three Bedrooms, together with 738 Sq.ft undivided share of the land comprised in Schedule "A" Property with One Car parking space (super built up area includes the proportionate share in the common area such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircase clubhouse and enjoyment of all the facilities of the Club and other areas of common use).	13/12/2023/ Rs. 66,57,635.00/-	03/09/ 2023
18.	Pavithra S/ M M Mahadeva Swamy/ W/o Mahadeva Swamy M Mhosa Badavane Helavara Hundit Narasipura Tq Karnataka Mysore- 571124/ LBMYS00005385528 & LBMYS00005385531	(As described in the Loan document / property document covering Schedule of Property Referred Above (Schedule of Property hereby released of Mortgaged property) All that piece and parcel of property bearing Assessment No.780, Site No.48, measuring East to West 40.00 Feet and North to South 30.00 Feet situated at Alagudu New Extension, T.Narasipura Town, Mysore District, hereinafter referred to as "the said property along with the building constructed there on and bounded on:- (Admeasuring an area of Venkatesh Nagara, Kaduru, Chikamagaluru Dist, within Kaduru Town Panchayath Limits. and Bounded by: North: Site No.47 South: 30.00 Feet Road East: Site No.49 WEST: 30.00 Feet Road	13/12/2023/ Rs. 22,71,837.00/-	03/10/ 2023
19.	Ramesh K S/ Ambuja B/ 11 Jn Anagabga Nagar 3rd Mn Sriyoga Narasimha Jnana Bharthi Post Bangalore Bangalore - 560056/ LBBNG00005369355	(As described in the Loan document / property document covering All that piece and parcel for property bearing Site No.10 Assessment No.42/56 BBMP Khatha No.128 Jnana Bharath ward No.129 measuring East to West 30ft and North to South 40ft in all total measuring 1200 Sq.ft. Situated at Mallathahalli Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore and bounded on the:- North: Others Property South: 30 Feet Road East: Site No.11 West: Site no.9	13/12/2023/ Rs. 47,76,315.00/-	03/10/ 2023
20.	Chandrashekhar R/C Harsha/ Yamuna M J/ No 301 Chamundi Hill Road 8th Cross J C Nagar Mysore- 570011/ LBMYS00005506537	(As described in the Loan document / property document covering All that piece and parcel of Residential Site Property No.54, Khatha No.220 measuring East to West 60.00 Ft. and North to 40.00 Ft. total measuring 2400 Sq.Ft carved out in Sy. No.4/A in 4.00 acres situated at Nazarbad Mohalla J C Nagara Chamundi hill main road Kurabarahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Mysuru Taluk and District and bounded on: North: Property No.53 South: Property No.55 East: Chamundi Hill Main Road West: Property No.57	13/12/2023/ Rs. 7778804.00	03/10/ 2023
21.	Gowrishankar D R/ M/s Saptha Bath Gallery/ Shruthi M R/ Prowin Wealth Management/ Vinay H M/ No 57 1 Doddahejjaji Doddahejjaji Post Dodballapur Karnataka Dodbellapur- 561211/ LBBNG00006014923	(As described in the Loan document / property document covering All that piece and parcel of the Immovable Property land bearing Converted Survey No.2/6 (Old Survey No.2/1), (converted vide conversion order No. ALN(K-1)SR/16/2020-21, dated 02.09.2021 issued by the Commissioner, Bangalore District) situated at Pantharapalya Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Presently comes under the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No. 160- R.R Nagar, having B.B.M.P Katha No.119/2/1/2/6, Totally measuring 5880.60 Square Feet Bounded on: North: Portion of Land bearing Sy.No.2/1 South: Land bearing Sy.No.2/2 belongs to Linganna S/o.Mr. Hanumaiah East: Land belonging to Mr.H.Ramaiah and a Private Road West: Bangalore Mysore Road	14/12/2023/ Rs. 3,88,05,946.00/-	25/10/ 2023
22.	Manu Hassan Gurikkal P T/ Subaida P T/ No 547 7th Cross North Block Upkar Residency Layout Ullalu Bangalore Urban Karnataka Bangalore- 560091/ LBBNG00006559005 & TBBNG00006450514	(As described in the Loan document / property document covering All that piece and parcel of Vacant Site bearing No.9, Old Municipal Katha No.76/2, then Municipal Katha No.76/2/9, New BBMP Katha Serial No.354, carved out of Assessment No.22/2B, situated at Vaddarapalya, Valagerahalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, now coming under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No.159, Bangalore, measuring East to West 40'-0" feet and North to South 30'-0" feet, totally measuring 1200 Sq. feet and bounded on the North: Site No.6 South: Road East: Site No.32 WEST: Road	27/12/2023/ Rs. 1,16,30,171.00/-	01/11/ 2023
23.	Jayashree/ No. 5B 2nd Main Road 9th Cross Near To Harish Stichwear B M K Layout, Vittalnagar Bangalore- 560026/ LBBNG00006258801 & LBBNG00006329322 & LBBNG00006261813	Property:1 All that part and parcel of the property bearing Site No. 6 (Six), formed by The Mysore Road Industrial Employees' House building Co-operative Society Ltd., in Sy. No.26/4, situated at Jaraganahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, presently property comes within the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No. 186, measuring East to West: (50+55)/2 Feet and North to South: 40-0 Feet and totally measuring 2100 Square Feet., and Bounded On The: East by: Road, West by: Private Property, North by: Road, South by: Site No. 5. Property:2 All the piece and parcel of the schedule property bearing Site Nos.4-A & 5-A, Khatha No.55/2, New BBMP Khatha No.55/2/4A/5A, Sl. No.1708, situated at Gollahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, presently within the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No. 196, Bangalore. Measuring:- East to West : 60' Feet, North to South: 40' Feet. Totally 2400 Square Feet. And Bounded On The East by: Site No.3-A, West by: Site No.6-A, North by: Private Property, South by: Road.	27/12/2023/ Rs. 2,30,91,259.00/-	03/11/ 2023
24.	Muzamil Saif Ali/ Seema Sultan/ No-60/2 Room No-6 3rd Floor Bharath Nagar 2nd Main Saraipalya Dr Shivaramkantha Nagar Bangalore- 560077/ LBBNG00005264694 & LBBNG00005338902 & LBBNG00005264697	Property:1 All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Site No.232, Katha No 1133/1, formed out of Property No.60/2, BBMP Sl. No.6588, situated at Thanisandra Village, K. R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, (earlier Bangalore South Taluk). Now comes under jurisdiction folds of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, (BBMP) limits, Bangalore, Measuring East to West: 40 Feet, North to South: 30 Feet, in all measuring 1200 Sq.Ft., and bounded on: East by: Road, West by: Site No.225, North by : Site No.231, South by : Site No.233. Property:2 All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Site No.231, Katha No.1132/1, formed out of Property No.60/2, BBMP Sl. No.6481, situated at Thanisandra Village, K. R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, (earlier Bangalore South Taluk), Now comes under jurisdiction folds of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, (BBMP) limits, Bangalore, Measuring East to West: 40 Feet, North to South: 30 Feet, in all measuring 1200 Sq.Ft., and bounded on: East by: Road, West by: Site No.226, North by: Site No.230, South by: Site No.232	28/12/2023/ Rs. 93,21,175.00/-	03/11/ 2023
25.	Rohit Chakrabarti/ Srijeeta Chakrabarti/ 23 Flat No 104 1st Floor 12th A Cross Btm 2nd Stage Bengaluru Karnataka Bangalore- 560076/ LBBNG00005485944 & TBBNG00006233076 & LBBNG00005698441	Schedule 'A' Property all that piece and parcel of property bearing BBMP Municipal No:253/295/1 and residentially converted land bearing Sy.No.295/1, measuring 14 Guntas, (Vide., Conversion Order No.ALN(S.B):SR/04/2015-16, dated 13- 07-2016) situated at Begur Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, within the limits of BBMP and bounded on:- East: Grogory Property. West: Late Chinnappa's Son's Property. North : Road. South : Property Bearing No:295/2. Schedule 'B' Property (Description of the undivided share in the land hereby conveyed) 3.17% Undivided share, rights, title and interest in the land comprised in portion of the property mentioned in Schedule 'A', which undivided share in Schedule 'A' Property which works out to 449.7 Square Feet. Schedule 'C' Property (Description of the Residential Apartment hereby conveyed) A Two Bed Room (2 BHK) Apartment bearing No.103, at Ground Floor in the Residential Building known as "Opera Canopus" constructed on Schedule-A Property with a super built up area of 970 Square Feet (Carpet Area of 693 Square Feet) inclusive of proportionate share in common areas, lobbies, passages, lifts, staircase, etc., with electricity, water and sanitary connection, with common use of approach to car park area and staircase and other areas of common use with One Covered Car Parking Area bearing No.103 in Stilt Floor and having R.C.C. Roofing, Vitrified Flooring, Main Door of Teak Wood frame, Internal Flush Doors with Sal wood frames Aluminum Windows, French UPVC Sliding door for Master Bedroom Balcony.	30/12/2023/ Rs. 51,58,917.00/-	04/11/ 2023

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above borrower/s and/or their guarantors (as applicable) are advised to make the payments of outstanding within period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice else further steps will be taken as per the provisions of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Date : February 01, 2024
Place : Bangalore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that **Mr.Rahul Jain,** is purchasing the property mentioned in the Schedule below from **Mrs.Chandrika C.Mohan.** All persons claiming an interest in the said property are hereby required to make the same known to the undersigned Advocate at his office within 15 days from the date hereof, failing which the said Sale will be completed, without any reference to such claim, if any, shall be considered as waived.

SCHEDULE: Property bearing No.56, bearing BBMP PID No.100-373-56, Katha No.298 of Geddalahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, measuring East to West: 60 feet, and North to South: 48 + 53/ 2 feet.

Prashant Kumar M.B. ADVOCATE
'XPERT LEX', Advocates & Solicitors,
No.1752, 1st Floor, 14th Main,
Kumaraswamy Layout, 1st Stage,
Bangalore-560111, Mob:9964636448.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are informed that my client **D. V. Krishna Rao & others** intends to purchase property bearing **Site** No.1567/10, Old No.99-21/2/10 & Site No.9, earlier Katha No.99, presently bearing village panchayath Katha No.1566, formed out of converted erstwhile Sy.No.21/2, (converted vide Order No.B.DIS.ALN.(S) 43/91-92, dated 16/07/91, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Dist., Bangalore), situated at Kasavanahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, earlier Bangalore South Taluk, Now Bangalore East Taluk, presently under the jurisdiction of BBMP, measuring East to West 60 feet, and North to South 80 feet, totally measuring 4800 Sq.feet

Property bearing **Site** No.1567/10, Old No.99-21/2/10 is bounded on
East by : Site bearing No.17;
West by : Road;
North by : Site bearing No.11;
South by : Site bearing No.9;
Site No.9 is bounded on :
East by : Site bearing No.18;
West by : Road;
North by : Site bearing No.10;
South by : Site bearing No.8;
from **Mrs.Anitha Reddy wife of Mr.K.Sudhakar Reddy**

Persons having any right over the said property may lodge their objections/ claims with documentary evidence within 7 days from this day to the undersigned.

SNR ASSOCIATES, Advocates,
Flat No.402, Fourth Floor, "Samaikyaa's K.K.Veni Plaza" B.Narayanapura,
White Field Main Road, Bangalore-560 016.
Purchaser: 9900166322

BEFORE THE HON`BLE MOTOR ACCIDENT CLAIMS TRIBUNAL (SPECIAL DISTRICT COURT II) SDJ II TIRUCHIRAPALLI I.A.NO. /2024 IN MCOP NO.1236/2022

1.A.Chitra D/o.Aandiyappan No.1/36,Kudi Street,Koothur Post,Mannachanallur Taluk, Tiruchirapalli District.
2.A.Rani W/o.Selvakumar, No.6/3389/4,Raja Rajeswari Garden,V.N.Nagar,No.1Tolgate Pitchandar Hoil,Mannachanallur Taluk,Tiruchirapalli District.
- Petitioners

V/S

1.G.Manikandan- (R1) S/o.Ganesan, No.2596,Shanthi Lakshmi Nilaya,4th Main Road,AFCS Layout,``A'' Block Single Sandra Village, Bangalore South- 560 068
- Respondent

Notice to Respondent

Sir,Please take Notice that the Petitioner A,Chitra and A.Rani has filed apetition for grant of compen sation for the death of their father Andiyappanin a motor Accident took placed on 05.11.2021 and it was taken on file asM.C.O.P No.1236/ 2022 and it is posted on 16.02.2024 and you may appearbefore the hon`ble SDJ II court,Tiruchirapalli and State your objection if any by you or through your counsel failing which that petition will be dispostead according to law to against you.

T.SENTHIKUMAR
K.R.SUDHAHAR
Advocate fot Petitioner

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public at large are hereby informed that, my clients have negotiated and agreed to purchase the Schedule Properties described herein below mentioned property, from (1). **SRI. RAVI ACHARYA** Son of Sri. Govindachary, **and (2) SRI. G. RAGHU ACHAR** Son of Sri. Govindachary, both are residing at No.17/1 Amballipura Village, Sarjapura Road, Varthur Hobli, Bellanduru Gate, Bangalore-560102, rep by their GPA Holder **SRI. GOVINDACHARY** Son of late Sri. Dasachary, residing at No.17/1 Amballipura Village, Sarjapura Road, Varthur Hobli, Bellanduru Gate, Bangalore-560102. As such any person/s/Company/Bank/institution having any claim whatsoever over the Schedule properties are hereby called upon to file their objections, claims along with supporting documents to the below mentioned address within 7 days from the date of this notification. If no objections / claims are received within the above said period my client shall proceed to conclude the sale transaction as if there are no objections or claims whatsoever and my clients shall be considered as bona fide purchasers of the Schedule Properties.

SCHEDULE PROPERTIES

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Survey No.158 measuring 2 Acres of Bommenahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, previously Bangalore South Taluk, converted from agricultural to non agricultural residential purposes vide order bearing No.ALN (EBK) SR:58/2015-16, Dated 10-1-2020, issued by Deputy Commissioner Bangalore Urban District, Bangalore, and bounded on the: East by Land in Survey No.96, West by land in Survey No.120, North by Land in Survey No.129, South by land in Survey No.159, residential layout formed in the above said property. The under mentioned sites are buying to my clients that sites details under mentioned as follows: **SITE BEARING NO.34,** measuring East to West 15.36+12.19/2 and North to South 13.6+22.95/2 in all measuring 222.78 Square Meters and Mandur Gramapanchyathi E-Swathu Khatha No.150200401601627963, and bounded on the: East by 9M Wide Road, West by Site No.35, North by 12M Wide Road, and South by Site No.33. **SITE BEARING NO.35,** measuring East to West 15.36+12.19/2 and North to South 13.4+22.74/2 in all measuring 222.44 Square Meters and Mandur Gramapanchyathi E-Swathu Khatha No.150200401601627965, and bounded on the: East by Site Nos.33 & 34 West by 9M Wide Road, North by 12M Wide Road, and South by Site No.36. **SITE NO.38** measuring East to West 12.19 and North to South 9.14 in all measuring 111.42 Square Meters and Mandur Gramapanchyathi E-Swathu Khatha No.150200401601627968, and bounded on the: East by Site No.30, West by Site No. 9M Vide Road, North by Site No.37 and South by Site No.39. **SITE NO.39** measuring East to West 12.19 and North to South 9.14 in all measuring 111.42 Square Meters and Mandur Gramapanchyathi E-Swathu Khatha No.150200401601627970, and bounded on the: East by Site No.30, West by Site No. 9M Vide Road, North by Site No.37 and South by Site No.39.

SD/- G. V. ANJANEYA GOWDA,
ADVOCATE & CONSULTANT,
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Following a string of incidents, leak of sensitive information, and the escape of Raheel, the son of former BRS MLA Aamir Shakil, the Hyderabad Police Commissioner Kothakota Sreenivasa Reddy ordered the transfer of all 85 police officials from the Punjagutta police station on Wednesday.

Won't allow CAA to be rolled out in TN, says Stalin

AIADMK supported the Act, but DMK will not

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Chennai

TAMIL Nadu Chief Minister M K Stalin asserted on Wednesday that the DMK government would never allow the Citizenship Amendment Act (CAA) to be implemented in the state as it discriminates against certain groups of people such as Muslims and Sri Lankan Tamil refugees in the country.

Stalin, who is on a tour to Spain to attract investments to Tamil Nadu, cited Union Minister Shantanu Thakur's assertion on January 29 that CAA would be rolled out within seven days across the country.

The DMK leader also blamed the main opposition, AIADMK, for voting in favour of the amendment to the Act when it was introduced in parliament.

Expressing his stance on 'X', the CM criticised the opposition AIADMK saying that if it were not for that party's support to the Citizenship Amendment Bill, it may not have become a law.

"The AIADMK had supported the Act then. But the DMK, though it was in the opposition, along with like-minded parties, organised protests and collected two crore signatures (against the law), which were then submitted to the President, the CM said."

Stalin said, "I am sure that we will not let #CAA set foot in Tamil Nadu. #NoCAAInTamilNadu."

ACTION AT SEA

A ship and a helicopter of the Indian Coast Guard participate at the 'Day at Sea' event, as part of the 48th Raising Day celebrations, in Kochi on Wednesday | TP SOORAJ

Lokayukta police unearth assets of 10 'crorepati' govt officers

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@ Bengaluru

THE Lokayukta police on Wednesday conducted massive search operations across Karnataka in connection with cases registered against 10 government officers in Tumakuru, Mandya, Chikkamagaluru, Mysuru, Koppal, Vijayanagar, Ballari, Hassan, Chamarajanagara and Mangaluru, over possessing assets disproportionate to their known sources of income.

The team of police officers conducted simultaneous search operations at 41 locations including office and residences of the accused officers, who were all crorepatis.

Harsha HR, Executive Engineer of PWD, Mandya district, stands first among the 10 government officers, with assets worth Rs 4.50 crore. His immovable assets worth Rs 1.68 crore include three sites, two houses and 15 acres 30 gunatas agricultural land. He also owned movable assets worth Rs 2.82 crore including 1.50 lakh cash, ornaments worth Rs 10 lakh, vehicles worth Rs 55 lakh, and household articles worth 2.15 crore.

This was followed by Range Forest Officer, Renukamma, Hoovina Hadagali in Vijayanagara district, found with Rs 2.77 crore assets, including immovable assets of Rs 1.91 crore and movable assets of Rs 86.17 lakh including 2.09 lakh cash, ornaments worth Rs 32 lakh, vehicles worth Rs 29 lakh, and articles worth Rs 23 lakh.

NIA files charges against human trafficking case

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ New Delhi

THE National Investigation Agency (NIA) on Wednesday filed two separate charge sheets against three Bangladeshi nationals in a case connected to the alleged trafficking of people of Rohingya and Bangladeshi origin into India, and is taking them to Tamil Nadu.

The NIA officials alleged that the three suspects mentioned in the charge sheets - Babu SK alias Babu Shoriful alias Md Soriful Babumiya, Shahabuddin Hossain alias Md Sahab Uddin and Munna alias Noor Karim - were actively involved in forging Indian documents to conceal their true identity.

NIA started the investigation into the case on November 7, 2023, and they found that Babu SK, along with other accused, allegedly used to traffic Bangladesh nationals.

He had been arranging illegal stays for them in India, without valid documents, and used to employ and exploit the victims, the officials said. "Investigations revealed that Babu SK had forged his documents," said a senior NIA official.

If approved, India may lead study on cosmic dawn

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"OUR initial analysis suggests that the site is promising for deployment of SARAS given the radio quietness. The RRI has submitted a proposal to the National Centre for Polar and Ocean Research (NCPOR), Goa, which is the nodal agency for the Arctic expedition, to deploy SARAS in the Arctic to study the cosmic dawn," said Saurabh Singh.

If NCPOR approves the proposal, India may lead the study on cosmic dawn, which is one of the most important gaps in our understanding of our universe's history. SARAS is a niche high-risk, high-gain experimental effort of RRI initiated to detect extremely faint radio wave signals from the depths of spacetime -- the cosmic dawn.

Singh, who is the principal investigator of the SARAS project, said the SARAS team has been looking for pristine sites within India to deploy the radio telescope.

"Before the Arctic experiment, we had looked at Ladakh and the region around Shivamogga in Karnataka, but terrestrial interference was a major bottleneck. In Shivamogga, our goal was to test the claim of detecting anomalous signals by scientists from Arizona State University (ASU) and Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT). In fact, our team was the first to reach the required sensitivity to cross verify their claim and refute it," he added.

Pinarayi questions Rahul's 'soft Hindutva'

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EVEN as the CPM leadership took a decision to join hands with the Congress in the Lok Sabha polls, Kerala CM Pinarayi Vijayan made a frontal attack against Rahul Gandhi over his alleged soft Hindutva stance in connection with the Ayodhya temple consecration ceremony.

"What did Rahul Gandhi do on the day of the consecration? He was insisting on getting permission for entry into a temple in Assam. His insistence on entering the temple that particular day would give the message that it is all part of Hindutva," Pinarayi said.

He said that Congress has left Nehruvian secularism. The Congress governments at the Centre had permitted 'shilanyas' and did not act when the Babri Masjid was destroyed.

EXPRESS READ

NSIL, Arianespace in MoU for sat launch service

Bengaluru: NewSpace India Limited (NSIL), the commercial arm of ISRO, and Arianespace, a French satellite launch company, signed a MoU for long-term partnership to support satellite launch missions. The partnership aims to deploy the heavy lift launch vehicle LVM-3 of ISRO and Ariane-6 of Arianespace would address global launch service market needs, and launch heavier communication or earth observation satellites as well as satellites for mega constellations. The global launch service market assessment for the decade indicated that there is a huge demand for launching satellites in GTO and in LEO, the release added.

RAICHUR POWER CORPORATION LIMITED
YERMARUS THERMAL POWER STATION
(A JOINT VENTURE COMPANY OF KPCL & BHEL)
CIN: U40101KA2009PLC049582

No. EE(MSP)/YTPS/23-24/152 Date: 25.01.2024

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION

RPCL, invites bids from reputed agencies for the following E-tenders for YTPS through e-Procurement **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in** **Brief Details of Goods:** Procurement of **1) KPCL/2023-24/IND0718/CALL-3** Apron feeder drive sprockets for CHP. **2) KPCL/2023-24/IND0576/CALL-2** Wire wound resistor and reactors. **3) KPCL/2023-24/IND 0187/CALL-2** Submersible motors for PWS. **4) KPCL/2023-24/IND0802** Sulphuric acid. **5) KPCL/2023-24/IND08699/CALL-3** Sludge Pump. **6) KPCL/2023-24/SE0083/CALL-2** Engaging the services of Medical and Paramedical staff in shift duties to YTPS for a period of two years. Last date for Bid submission: For Sl. No. 1: **13.02.2024, 16.00 Hrs.** For Sl. No. 2 & 3: **12.02.2024, 16.00 Hrs.** For Sl. No. 4: **02.02.2024, 16.00 Hrs.** For Sl. No. 5: **09.02.2024, 16.00 Hrs.** For Sl. No. 6: **09.02.2024, 15.00 Hrs.** Further details can be had from the **Executive Engineer (MSP),** Mobile: 94806 82892. E-mail: eemsprpcl@gmail.com (for Sl. No. 1 to 5)/ **Deputy Medical Superintendent,** Mobile: +91 94806 82903 (For Sl. No. 6), RPCL, YTPS, Yeramarus-584134, Raichur Dist.

THE NEW INDIA ASSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED
(Govt. of India Undertaking)
Regional Office (670000)
2-B, Unity Building Annexe, P Kalinga Rao Road (Mission Road)
Bangalore – 560 027. CIN: L6600OMH1919GOI000526

PUBLIC NOTICE – CLOSURE/RELOCATION OF OFFICE

This is for the information of the General Public that the following office of our company situated at following location under Bangalore Regional Office will be closed w.e.f. 15.03.2024. All the policy holders of this office will continue to enjoy uninterrupted services from the following office as well as online services.

Sl No.	Office being Closed	New Policy Servicing Office with Address
1	**The New India Assurance Co.Ltd., Anekal Small Business Office (670304)**, Behind Venkateshwara Theater, Anekal	**The New India Assurance Co.Ltd., Bommasandra Business Office (670302)**, Munireddy Complex, First Floor, Kithanaganahalli, Hosur Main Road, Bommasandra, Bangalore - 560099. Telephone Number :080-27832920 / 27832183 & E-mail: nia.670302@newindia.co.in

Sd/-
Chief Regional Manager, Bengaluru R O (670000)

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
MINOR IRRIGATION & GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
Executive Engineer, Minor Irrigation Division, Hassan
IFT No.03/2023-24, Dated: 30.01.2024

Short term tenders are invited from eligible Agencies in two cover system through KPPP portal of GOK (website: https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in) for HASSAN District works as per SBD-KW-4 Estimate Amount is Rs.150.00 lakhs.The last date of receipt of tender is 06-02-2024 upto 5.00 PM hours. Further detail can be had from KPPP portal and the above office during office working hours.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Minor Irrigation Division, Hassan.

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KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED
(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No:SEE/Tr(M)/BMAZ(S)/EE(O)/AEE-1/F-282/23-24/9135-39 Date:31.01.2024

TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through KPP portal only)

KPTCL invites bid against enquiry No: KPTCL/SEE/TR(M)/BMAZ(S)/EE(O)/ AEE-1/23-24/SG/EPR-05 to EPR-08 Call-02 Dated 09.10.2023 for tender for providing Security Guards at 220/66kV, 66/11kV Sub-stations coming under the jurisdiction of BMAZ South Circle **(Package-3, 4, 6 and 7).**

The Bids will be received through KPPP mode only. The detailed notification regarding the subject tenders can be got by logging on to **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** with hyperlink 'E Procurement KPTCL' or to **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **01.02.2024.** other details can be had from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer (Elec)., Transmission (M), BMAZ South Circle, KPTCL, Anandrao Circle, Bengaluru-09.

ಕೆನರಾ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ Canara Bank
(A Government of India Undertaking)
Enforcement Syndicate
Specialised NRI Branch : BSNL Complex, SV Road, Near Lido Mall, Bengaluru – 560008. Mob No. 9483501985, e-mail : cb1985@canarabank.com

DEMAND NOTICE TO BORROWER / GUARANTOR / MORTGAGOR

Notice issued under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

To,
Borrower : 1. Sri Tej Kumar H K S/O Krishna Setty H
2. Sri Krishna Setty H S/o Late Hanuma Setty H
Both are at : Flat No 407, Samtrupthi Enclave, 17 th 1st D Main Road, Upadhya Layout, Gnana Bharathi, Bengaluru - 560056.

That you, **Sri Tej Kumar H K and Sri Krishna Setty H** (hereinafter referred to as "the Borrower's"), has availed Credit Facility against which there are outstanding liabilities as mentioned below. We had called upon you to clear the entire liabilities for the loans borrowed from our **Specialised NRI Branch.**

You have committed default in repayment of loans as mentioned below and the loans were classified as Non Performing Assets on **03.01.2024.** The Bank through this notice brings to your attention that you have failed and neglected to repay the said dues/ outstanding liabilities and hence hereby demand you under Section 13(2) of the Act, by issuing this notice to discharge in full the liabilities of the Borrower as stated in hereunder to the Bank **within 60 days from the date of receipt of this notice.** The notice under Sec.13(2) of the Act sent to you by Post. Ack. Due on **08.01.2024** was not acknowledged by you.

Further, it is brought to your notice that you are also liable to pay future interest at the rate together with all costs, charges, expenses and incidental expenses with respect to the proceedings undertaken by the bank in recovering its dues.

Please take note of the fact that if you fail to repay to the Bank the aforesaid sum of **Rs. 47,11,469.99 (Rupees Forty Seven Lakh Eleven Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Nine and Paisa Ninety Nine Only)** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs as stated above in terms of this notice under Section 13(2) of the Act, The Bank will exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub-section (4)(a) and (b) of Section 13. You are hereby restrained from dealing with any of the secured assets detailed below in terms of Section 13(13).

Your attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Loan No.	Nature Of Loan/Limit	Liability with Interest as on 08/01/2024	Rate Of Interest (inclusive of penal interest 2%)
1985619000057	HOUSING LOAN	**Rs. 47,11,469.99**	**11.90**

Details of Security Assets : Immovable : Schedule –A
All the piece and parcel of residential sites bearing Nos 195,196,223 &224, BBMP Khatha Sl No 2561 presently bearing property No 2047/4/32/1/35/224/223/195/196. Situated at Padma Upadhyayaya Layout, Nagadevanahalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore carved out of residentially converted lands in Sy No 31,32/1, & 35 of Nagadevanahalli Village, kengeri Hobli Bangalore South taluk, (duly converted into non agricultural residential purpose as per the conversion certificate vide No ALN.SR.2017/1970-71, dated 31.12.1973) Measuring east to West : 70 feet and North to South: 120 feet, Totally measuring 8400 square feet , presently falling within the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP, Bangalore and assigned Amalgamated khatha No 2561 /2047 /4/31, 32/1, 35/ 224, 223,195&196:- bounded on **East by:** Road, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Site No 197&Site No 222 and **South by :** Site No 194&Site No 225

Schedule –B : 234 sq ft of undivided share, right title and interest in the Schedule 'A' property hereby conveyed by the vendors to the purchaser

Schedule –C : Flat No 407, in Third Floor in the building "SAMTRUPTI ENCLAVE" constructed on the Schedule A property , having super built up area measuring 1050 sq ft having RCC roofing, vitrified tiles floor, Sal Wood doors and Aluminium windows and separate Electricity connections, Common water and Sanitation including common area rights with one covered car parking slot in slit floor and including All rights privileges Appurtenances thereto and bounded on **East by:** Flat No 406, **West by:** Road, **North by:** set back and **South by:** Flat No 404 & Corridor. **Name of Title holder : Sri Tej Kumar H K.**

Place : Bangalore
Date : 31.01.2024
Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

NKGSB Bank
NKGSB Co-op. Bank Ltd.
(Multi State Scheduled Bank)
Recovery Dept: Laxmi Sadan, 361, V. P. Road, Girgaum, Mumbai – 400 004
Tel No: (022) 67545020/21/25/40/48/73/98; **Email id** - recovery@nkgsb-bank.com
Banashankari Branch: Premises No. 4013,4014,Vishwabharati Housing Society, 80 Feet Road,Hosakerehalli Main Road,Banashankari Stage III,Bangalore – Karnataka -560085 **Tel No:** (080) 26690460/26690461;
Email id – banashankari110@nkgsb-bank.com

POSSESSION NOTICE [(RULE 8 (1)] [FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES]

WHEREAS, The undersigned, being an Authorized Officer of NKGSB Co-op. Bank Ltd. under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest (Enforcement) Act, 2002 (SARFAESI ACT, 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued **Demand Notice on 03.11.2023** to the following Borrower(s) & Mortgagor(s) calling upon them to pay the amount mentioned in the said notice within 60 days from the date of the receipt of the same. The Borrower(s) & Mortgagor(s) having failed to pay the amount mentioned against their respective names, this notice is hereby given to the Borrower(s) & Mortgagor(s) and Public-in-General that the undersigned has taken **SYMBOLIC POSSESSION** of the Asset described herein below, in exercise of the powers conferred on him Under Section 13(4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on **29/01/2024** under Section 14 of the SARFAESI ACT, 2002.

The Borrower(s), Mortgagor(s) in particular and public-in-general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the below mentioned properties and/any dealing with the said Asset, will be subject to the charge of the NKGSB Co-op. Bank Ltd. for the following amount and further interest and charges applicable thereon.

The borrower(s) & Mortgagor(s) attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured asset.

Name of the Borrower/Mortgagor/Guarantor	Total Amount Due
1. MR. BHARATH KUMAR R (Borrower) **2. MRS. NEETU BHARATH KUMAR(Co-Borrower)** **3. MR. RAJENDRA KUMAR R(Co-Borrower & Mortgagor)** **(Since Deceased, Hence Through Legal Heirs)** **(a) Mrs. Lakshmamma R K** **(b) Mr. Bharath Kumar R** **(c) Mr. Sharath Kumar Rajendra** **4. MR. GADDAM ANANDA BHOOPAL (Guarantor)**	**Rs. 32,61,789.36 as on 21.01.2024 with further interest and charges, as applicable.**

SCHEDULE –I (Immovable Mortgaged Properties)

All that Piece and Parcel of Flat No. G-4, Ground Floor, "S. V. SAROVAR", constructed on Property Nos. 51,52,53,54 (in erstwhile Sy. No. 4/4, Sarakki Kere, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk), Clubbed Khatha No. 573/581/548/4/4/51/52/53/54, present BBMP Khata No. 573/581/548/4/4/51/52/53/54, 17th "E" Cross, 15th Main, J.P. Nagar 5th Phase, Bangalore 560 078, comprising 3 BHK, with a super built-up area of 1400 sq. ft. and undivided share of 310 sq. ft. , with proportionate share in common areas, lobbies, passages, lifts, staircase, etc with electricity, water and sanitary connections with common use of approach to covered park area with staircase in the land and bounded on:

EAST	WEST	NORTH	SOUTH
Corridor, thereafter Flat No. G-1	Private Property	Road	Flat No. G-3

and the Property on which the Flat is constructed is as follows:
All the piece and parcel of Property Nos. 51,52,53,54 (in erstwhile Sy. No. 4/4, Sarakki Kere, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk) Clubbed Khatha No. 573/581/548/4/4/51/52/53/54, present BBMP Khata No. 573/581/548/4/4/51/52/53/54, 17th "E" Cross, 15th Main, J.P. Nagar 5th Phase, Bangalore 560 078, in all measuring 5397.7 sq. ft. and bounded on the :

EAST	WEST	NORTH	SOUTH
Road	Private Property	Drain	Site Nos. 55 and 56

Place: Bangaluru
Date : 01/02/2024
Sd/-
AUTHORISED OFFICER,
NKGSB Co-op. Bank Ltd

Karur Vysya Bank *Smart way to bank*

THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LIMITED, Asset Recovery Branch
No.1498-C, KVB Towers, 3rd Floor, Avinashi Road, Peelamedu, Coimbatore – 641 004.
E-mail: kvbl1890 @ kvbmail.com Mobile 81109 96655

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES & E-AUCTION ON 20.02.2024

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the following Borrower/s and Guarantor/s availed credit facilities from The Karur Vysya Bank Limited Branches mentioned below, the repayment of which are secured by Mortgage of below mentioned properties as per the details given below. As the under mentioned borrowers / guarantors failed to make payment despite the Demand Notice sent under SARFAESI Act-2002, the Authorized Officers of the Bank have taken Possession of the properties. As per Sec 13(4) of the Act, the Secured Creditor is entitled to sell the assets taken constructive possession of and realize the proceeds towards the outstanding balance. In accordance with the same, the Authorized Officers propose to sell the below mentioned securities by way of **E-auction mode on 20.02.2024.** The sale is made on **"As is where is", "As is what is"** & **"Whatever there is"** condition.

Sl.No:7:- Hosur Branch : Name of Borrower (s)/Guarantor(s): **1) Mr K Ashok,** S/o Krishnappa, D.No.50/1, Shamanatham Village, Thally Post, DenkanikottaiTaluk, Krishnagiri District – 635109 residing at No. 1465, 56th Cross, Renukangara, Sarjapura, Anekal, Bangalore-562125, Karnataka State and Guarantor:MrK Mallesh, S/o Kenchappa, D.No.38/2(A), Kagganur Village, Sevaganapalli Post, Hosur, Krishnagiri District -635109, residing at 624/A/133, Marasur, Bengaluru – 562106, Karnataka State. Total outstanding is **Rs.79,51,528.08** (Rupees Seventy Nine Lakhs Fifty One Thousands Five Hundred & Twenty Eight and Paisa Eight Only) **as on 01.01.2024** with further interest, costs, other charges and expenses thereon.

Mortgaged Asset : Property standing in the name of Mr K Ashok : Karnataka State, Bengaluru District, Bengaluru South Taluk, UttarahalliHobli, Gottigere Village, property comes under the limits of BBMP, Bengaluru, Site No.326, Old Khatha No.326/1, New BBMP Khatha No.193/159, S.No.112, Ward No.194, AmbedkarColony, Near Yellamma Temple, Banerghatta Road, with an extent of 1260 Sq. Ft. of residential land(1197 Sq. Ft., of land as per Valuation Report) with building along with pathway rights and easementary rights more fully described as in the schedule of the Registered Gift deed dated 21.03.2018 under Document Number 8496/2017-18 and all other appurtenances attached thereon.

Reserve Price: Rs.46,00,000 /-; EMD: 4,60,000/- ; Bid Multiplier : Rs.50,000/-;
Branch Manager Contact No: **95855 52862**; Asset Recovery Branch Contact No : **81109 96655**

Sl.No:9:- Hosur Main Branch : Name of Borrower (s)/Guarantor(s): **1) Mrs K Vinodha** (Borrower/Title Holder/Mortgagor), W/o S C Guruppa, D.No.38, Fort Road, Sarjapura Village and Post, Anekal, Bangalore, Karnataka – 560 001, 2) Mr S C Guruppa (Guarantor), S/o M Chikkayalappa, D.No.38, Fort Road, Sarjapura Village and Post, Anekal, Bangalore, Karnataka – 560 001 and 3) Mr N Suresh (Guarantor), S/o Nagaraj, 37/E Anthivadi, Mathigiri, Hosur 635110. Total outstanding is **Rs.38,71,775.06** (Rupees Thirty Eight Lakhs Seventy One Thousands Seven Hundred & Seventy Five and Paisa Six Only) **as 08.01.2024** with further interest, Costs, other charges and expenses thereon.

Mortgaged Asset : Karnataka State, Bengaluru Urban District, AnekalTaluk, SarjapuraHobli, Sarjapura Village Form No.9, Khatha Sl. No.2221, Property No. 1111, Form No.11, Sl.No.2090, Asst. No.1111, with an extent of 1186.36 Sq. Ft. of residential land with building along with pathway rights and easementary rights more fully described as in the schedule of the Registered Gift/Release deed dated 07.11.2016 under Document Number 3011/2016-17 and all other appurtenances attached thereon.

Reserve Price: Rs.28,50,000/-; EMD: Rs.2,85,000/- ; Bid Multiplier : Rs.50,000/-;
Branch Manager Contact No: **95855 52862**; Asset Recovery Branch Contact No : **81109 96655**

General :

Date & Time of e-auction	The E-Auction will take place through portal **https://www.indianbankseauction.com** on **20.02.2024 between 16.00 hours to 17.00 hours** with unlimited extensions of 05 minutes each till sale is concluded.
Inspection of property	**On any Bank working day between 09.02.2024 to 19.02.2024 with prior appointment**
Last date for submitting Tenders	**19.02.2024 by 17.00 hours**
EMD by RTGS	A/c No :- **1101351000000973** Name of A/c :- **BID COLLECTION A/c of SARFAESI** E-AUCTION PROCEEDS:-Name of the Account IFSC code :- **KVBL0001101**

Prior Encumbrance-NIL (Brought to the knowledge of Bank)

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in our Bank's/ Secured Creditor's website i.e www.kvb.co.in/Property Under Auction and also at the service provider of the Bank for E-auction M/s.Canbank Computer Service Ltd (CCSL) web portal i.e., **https://www.indianbankseauction.com** to the above mentioned account and get user ID and Password free of cost and get training on E-Auction from **Mr.Pratap Kanjilal and Mr.D.D.Pakhare, Ph: 080-23469665; Mobile Nos.9832952602, 9911293517, 8898418010, 9480691777; e-mail-eauction@ccsl.co.in/ ccsleauction@gmail.com.**

Statutory 15 days' Notice under Rules 9(1) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 : The borrower/s and guarantor/s are hereby notified to pay the dues as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of e-Auction, failing which the Schedule property will be auctioned/ sold and balance dues, if any, will be recovered with interest and cost.

Place : Coimbatore
Date : 30.01.2024
Authorised Officer
The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd

PUBLIC NOTICE

ICICI Bank | **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560 068

Notice U/s. 13(2) of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 is being issued by ICICI Bank Ltd. (on underlying pool assigned to ICICI Bank by Dewan Housing Finance Ltd.) in relation to the enforcement of security in respect of a housing loan facility granted pursuant to a loan agreement entered into between DHFL and the following borrower(s) who have defaulted in repayment of principal and interest of loans facility obtained by them from secured creditor and loans have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). A notice was issued to them on their last known addresses, however, it has returned un-served and hence, they are hereby notified by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ Loan Account Number (DHFL Old LAN & ICICI New LAN) & Address	Property Address of Secured Asset/ Asset tobe Enforced	Date of Notice Sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Siddaiah S/ Sunitha Kumari/ No. 4, Asst No. 361, Adarsha Nagar, Kollegala Town Kollgala, Kollgala, Karnataka Kollgala- 571430/ QZMYS00005008515	(As Described in The Loan Document/ Property Document Covering Property No. 54-516-975/868-24, Site Bearing Assessment No. 860, Site No. 24, Situated Ward No. 25, Linganapura Village, Kollegala Measurements East to West: 9.144018 Meters North to South: 12.192024 Meters.) (Admeasuring an Area of) Bounded By North: Site No. 28 South: Road East: Site No. 23 West: Site No. 25	13/12/2023 Rs. 8,60,377.00/-	08/10/ 2023

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above borrower/s and/or their guarantors (as applicable) are advised to make the payments of outstanding within period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice else further steps will be taken as per the provisions of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Date : February 01, 2024
Place : Bangalore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

MYSORE PAINTS AND VARNISH LTD.,

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
New BannimatapExtention, Mysore – 570015
Telephone Number: 0821-2497469, e-mail - admin-mpvl@karnataka.gov.in
Website – www.mysorepaints.karnataka.gov.in

Ref: MPVL/ADMN/2023-24/ **Dated:01.02.2024**

EMPLOYMENT NOTIFICATION

Mysore Paints and Varnish Ltd., invites applications from the eligible candidates for the post mentioned below.

Sl. No.	Name of the Post	Number of Post	Pay & Emoluments	Qualification & Experience
01	General Manager (Technical) **Work Location Mysuru.**	01	Monthly Consolidated payment (salary is not a constraint for suitable candidate).	B.E/B.Tech/M.E/M.Tech (any discipline) with 05 to 10 years experience in production in a managerial capacity of paint manufacturing industry with turnover of not less than Rs.100 crore. **Age No Bar**

(NOTE: The above post is purely on a contractual basis)
Interested candidates meeting the above requirements shall send their application along with necessary enclosures on or **before 15.02.2024** to this office. The other terms of employment including job profile have been published in Company's website www.mysorepaints.karnataka.gov.in and the candidates should go through the other conditions before submitting their application.

Sd/- Managing Director

BANGALORE WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE BOARD

INVITATION FOR TENDER

(Only through KPP-Portal)

BWSSB invites Tenders from registered Agencies for the following works:

Office of the Chief Engineer (West), 6th Floor, Cauvery Bhavan, KG Road, Bengaluru - 560009

Sl. No.	Division	IFT Number		Amount put to tender EMD (in Rs.)	Last Date & Time for Submission of Tender	Date & Time for Opening of Tender
1	West-2	BWSSB/EE(W-2)/PB/3815/ 2023-24, Date: 31.01.2024	1	Rs.20,28,665/- Rs.40,600/-	08.02.2024 upto 3:00 PM	12.02.2024 after 3:00 PM
2			2	Rs.26,19,546/- Rs.52,400/-		
3			3	Rs.22,65,207/- Rs.45,400/-		
4			4	Rs.18,57,580/- Rs.46,500/-		

Sd/- **Executive Engineer (West-2)**

Office of the Chief Engineer (South), 7th Floor, Cauvery Bhavan, KG Road, Bengaluru-560009

5	South West-1	BWSSB/EESW-1/TO/PB/4461/ 2023-24, Date: 29.01.2024 (2nd Call)	Rs.47,84,985/- Rs.95,700/-	16.02.2024 upto 4:00 PM	19.02.2024 after 3:00 PM

Sd/- **Executive Engineer (South West-1)**

Office of the Chief Engineer (WWM-West), 6th Floor, Cauvery Bhavan, KG Road, Bengaluru-560009

6	(WWM-N) V.Valley	BWSSB/EE(WWM-N-V.V)/PB/ 998/2023-24, Date: 22.01.2024 (2nd Call) (Reserved for SC Catergory)	Rs.21.30 Lakhs Rs.25,200/-	07.02.2024 upto 5:30 PM	09.02.2024 at 4:00 PM

Sd/- **Executive Engineer (WWM-N)V.Valley**

The details regarding the tender and participation in the e-procurment process can be obtained by logging on to **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** For further details contact the undersigned office during working hours.

DIPR/CP/BCPL/3333/2023-24

KARNATAKA INDUSTRIAL AREAS DEVELOPMENT BOARD

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
Office of the Special Land Acquisition Officer (Metro Rail Project), No. 14/3, 1st Floor, Aravindha Bhavana Building, Nrupathunga Road, Bengaluru-560001.

No.: KIADB/LAQ/METRO/R5/2023-24 Date: 30.01.2024

PUBLIC NOTICE

(Under section 28(2) of KIAD Act 1966)

It is hereby given publication for the information of the public that the KARNATAKA INDUSTRIAL AREAS DEVELOPMENT BOARD. Bengaluru has proposed to acquire the following scheduled properties for the purpose of 2nd Phase of METRO RAIL PROJECT. The Preliminary Notification Under Section 1(3), 3(1) & 28(1) in this behalf is issued vide Notification No: CI 130 SPQ (E) 2023 Bangalore dated 12-01-2024 by the Government of Karnataka and the same has already been published in the Karnataka Gazette dated 12-01-2024.

All the absolute owners and interested persons in the Scheduled properties specified below shall file their OBJECTIONS IF ANY to the undersigned **on or before 17-02-2024** Notice u/s 28(2) of KIAD Act, has already been served to the notified Khatedar/Anubhavdar, interested persons. As some of the property owners refused to receive the notice and address of some the Khatedars are not available, notices could not be served. Hence, this notice is published in the Newspapers to provide opportunity to them.

Any contracts for the disposal of the said lands by sale. Mortgage, Assignment, Exchange or otherwise or any improvement made therein without prior permission of the competent authority, after the date of publication of this notification under the provisions of Right to Fair Compensation and in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013 and KIAD Act 1966 will be disregarded while assessing compensation for such parts of the said lands as may be finally acquired.

The map of the area comprised therein and the notification specifying the lands which is proposed to be acquired may be verified in the Office of the Special Land Acquisition Officer, KIADB, (Metro Rail Project) Bengaluru during the office hours on all working days. Enquiry is fixed **on 17-02-2024 at 11.30 a.m.** in the Office of the Special Land Acquisition Officer, K.I.A.D.B. (Metro Rail Project), No. 14/3, 1st Floor, Aravindha Bhavana Building, Bengaluru. Interested persons are hereby requested to be present with relevant documents. Failing which, further action will be taken in accordance with law.

Schedule

Enquiry Date: 17.02.2024; Time: 11.30 a.m.

WARD No.64, Gurappana Palya, KEB Layout

District: Bengaluru Taluk: Bengaluru South Hobali: Beguru Village: Thavarekere

Sl. No.	Property Owner	I.D. No.	L.A/CTS No.	B.B.M.P. Property No.	Area acquired (sq.Mtr.)
1	Smt Saroja and Sri Ram Reddy	R5-N41C-ADL-1	21/1KEB Layout Site No.11	64-146-11	43.300

Sd/- Special Land Acquisition Officer -2, KIADB(Metro), Nrupathunga Road, Bengaluru-560001

Manipur Minorities & OBC Economic Development Society (MOBEDS)

(An autonomous body under the Department of MA, OBC & SC, Govt. of Manipur)
Koirengei, SHQ BSF Gate Near Reliance High School, Imphal East, Manipur.

NOTICE INVITING OPEN-TENDERS

Imphal, the 29th January, 2024.

No.67/OT/MOBEDS/AR/Tameng-College/2023-24 : The Member Secretary, MOBEDS, Manipur on behalf of the Chairman / MOBEDS Manipur invites item rate / percentage rate tenders from approved and eligible Contractors of MOBEDS for the following works listed below :

Sl. No.	NIT NO	Name of Work	Estimated Cost	EMD	Duration of Work	Last date of submission	Date of opening of BID
1	NIT NO. MOBEDS/67/ AR/Tameng-College/2023-24	**Construction of Approach Road to Tamenglong College Site.**	₹ 76,48,167	₹ 1,53,000	3 (three) months	02.00 pm of 19th February, 2024	03.30 pm of 19th February, 2024

1. Details of the work and bid / Tender form can be obtained from the Office of the Chief Engineer, MOBEDS, before 12.00 P.M. of **19th February, 2024.**

(Ng. Bhogendra Meitei)
Member Secretary, MOBEDS

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, DEPARTMENT OF SPACE

U R RAO SATELLITE CENTRE, HAL Airport Road, Vimanapura Post, Bangalore - 560 017
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE GROUP
(Phone : 080 25084168, 4175, 4169) (Fax:080 25084155)

BRIEF CORRIGENDUM NOTICE-I

1. On behalf of President of India, item rate tender is invited for the following work.

Description	Details	
Name of work	Replacement of Existing MS Compressed Air Lines with Stainless Steel Pipes from Central AC Plant to AITF-1 Building at ISITE Campus URSC, Marathahalli, Bangalore-560037.	Modification of Heavy Duty Swing gates installed at URSC Main Campus Vimanapura & URSC ISITE Campus, Marathahalli, Bangalore.
E-Tender Notice	URSC/C and MG/ACMD/0029/ETN-06/2023-24 Dt.04.01.2024	URSC/C and MG/ACMD/0030/ETN-07/2023-24 Dt.04.01.2024
Estimated cost put to Tender	₹ 14.87 Lakhs	₹ 9.67 Lakhs
Tender Document Details	E-Tender	E-Tender
Period of completion in months reckoned from the 15th day of date issue of work order.	06 months / 180 days	03 months / 90 days
Period during which the tender document can be downloaded.	Extended upto 16:30 Hrs. on 12.02.2024	Extended upto 16:30 Hrs. on 12.02.2024
Bid clarification	Extended upto 17:00 Hrs. on 13.02.2024	Extended upto 17:00 Hrs. on 13.02.2024
Last date and time of reply to Bid clarification.	Upto 17.00hrs on 14.02.2024	Upto 17.00hrs on 14.02.2024
Last date and time for receipt of tenders.	Upto 14:30 Hrs. on 20.02.2024	Upto 14:30 Hrs. on 20.02.2024
Due date and time of opening of tenders.	After 15:00 Hrs. on 20.02.2024	After 15:00 Hrs. on 20.02.2024
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	**Rs.29,740/- (Valid for 180 days)**	**Rs.19,340/- (Valid for 180 days)**

2. Interested tenderers may please refer Detailed Notice Inviting E-Tender (NIET) for eligibility criteria and other details along with Hindi version in website: **www.isro.gov.in** and download the tender documents from **www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO**

Sd/- Group Director (Construction & Maintenance Group)

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
EX-SERVICEMEN CONTRIBUTORY HEALTH SCHEME STATION HEAD QUARTER (ECHS CELL), SULUR

PHONE:0422-2683171, E-mail: sanchar.5@gov.in

EMPLOYMENT NOTICE

1.ECHS invites applications to engage following Medicaland Non-Medical Staff on contractual basis in ECHS Polyclinic, Erode for a period of one year renewable for additional period of one year / till attaining the maximum age subject to performance of candidates/ other conditions according to the criteria as mentioned against each post.

Appointment	Minimum Qualification	No of Vac	Fixed Remuneration
Officer -In -Charge Polyclinic	Graduate (Post reserved for retired defence officers only)	01	75,000/-
Medical Officer	MBBS(minimum 05 years of work experience after internship)	01	75,000/-
Driver	Education-8 class, Class I MT driver (Armed Forces), Posses a civil driving licence (minimum 05 years of experience as driver)	01	19,700/-

2.For Terms & Conditions, Application Form & Remuneration. Kindly see our website www.echs.gov.in. For additional details, please contact Station Headquarter (ECHS Cell), Sulur at telephone No 0422-2683171 & email ID sanchar.5@gov.in. Also approach concerned ECHS Polyclinic for details. Preference will be given to the Ex-servicemen.

3.Last date of receipt of application as per format given at our website Application as per requisite format along with self-attested photocopies of testimonials in support of Educational Qualifications and Work Experiences will be submitted to Officer-In-Charge, Station Headquarter (ECHS Cell), Air Force Station Sulur, Coimbatore – 641401 by **22 Feb 24** in duplicate. Any application received after **22 Feb 24** will not be accepted.

4.Interview Date, Timing & Venue Candidate must reach Station Headquarter ECHS, Air Force Station Sulur, Coimbatore – 641401 at **09:00 Hrs** on **29 Feb 24** for the interview to be held between **10:00** to **18:00 Hrs**. Candidates must bring all the original certificates/ mark sheets/ degree of 10th / Matric, 10+2 & graduation/ post-graduation/ diploma/ course, work experience and discharge book, PPO, service record and 02 PP size colour photographs at the time of interview. No TA/DA is admissible. Only candidates meeting the Qualitative Requirements may apply.

Government of Karnataka
Minor Irrigation & Ground Water Development Department
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER MINOR IRRIGATION & GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT DIVISION BIDAR

No EE/MI&GWD/BDR/TS-1,2&3/Tender/2023-24/107 Date: 24-01-2024

KPP -PROCUREMENT TENDER DETAILS

1) Name of Works: As mentioned in KPP-Portal, 2) Estimate cost of Work: As mentioned in KPP -Portal, 3) Eligibility of Contractor: As mentioned in KPP -Portal 4) Amount put to tender: As mentioned in KPP -Portal, 5) Cost of tender form & Details of EMD: As mentioned in KPP -Portal, 6) Last date & time for tender queries/ clarifications KW-2 KW-3 & KW-4: 03-02-2024 Up to 17-00 Hours, 7) Pre-Bid meeting Place, date & time : Office of the, Ex.Engr. MI & GWD Divn. Partapnagar, Naubad, Bidar on 05-02-2024 at 11:00 AM, 8) Last Date & Time for receipt of Tenders KW-2 KW-3 & KW-4: 12-02-2024 Up to 16.00 Hours, 9) Date & time for opening Technical bid KW-3 & KW-4: 14-02-2024 @ 11.00 Hours if possible, 10) Date & time for opening Technical bid & financial bid KW-2 only: 14-02-2024 @ 11.00 Hours if possible, 11) Date & time for opening the financial bid KW-3 & KW-4 only: 16-02-2024 @ 11.00 Hours if possible, 12) For any clarification and details , office to be contacted: Executive Engineer, MI & GWD Division Bidar, Phone/ Fax : 08482 232080, 13) Website details: KPP portal https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/- Executive Engineer
MI & GWD Division, Bidar

DIPR/Bidar/263/KSMC&A/2023-24

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

(A Government Of India Undertaking)
Head Office: Bangalore

ARM-1 Branch
2nd Floor, No.86, Spencer Tower,
M.G. Road, Bangalore-560001
PH: 080-25310066 Mob: 9599662508 & 9920720798
E-mail: cb2366@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described Immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of the Canara Bank,** will be sold on **"As is where is". "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 05.03.2024 (10.30 AM to 11.00 AM), for recovery of Rs. 8,35,28,000/-** as on **28.01.2024** plus further interest and cost thereon due to the **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of Canara Bank** from **1. M/s Pegasi Spirits Pvt. Ltd. (Formerly known as 3 Aces Hospitality Pvt. Ltd.)** through its authorised representatives at Regd. Office - House No. 22, Road no. 62, Punjabi Bagh, New Delhi – 110026, Head Office: S K Arcade,, No.33/1, Doddakannali, Carmalaram Post, Sarjapura road,, Bangalore-560035. **2. Mr. Neeraj Kukreja (Director)** S/o Jagdish Kukreja. **3. Mrs. Ritika Kukreja (Director)** W/o Neeraj Kukreja **both 2 & 3 residing at** Villa #151, Adarsh Palm Retreat, Bellandur, Bangalore-560103. **4. Mr. Jagdish Kukreja (Guarantor)** S/o Kaura Ram Kukreja. **5. Mrs. Pushpa Kukreja (Guarantor), Both 4 & 5 residing at** B 1801, Skylark Esta Hoodi, Whitefield, Bangalore - 560048.

The Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before **04.03.2024 at 5.00 PM** by way of DD favouring Authorized Officer **Canara Bank ARM-1 Branch** or through online payment to **Account No.209272434 (IFSC CNRB0002366)** is as under. **(₹. in lakhs)**

Lot No	Description of the movable assets:	Reserve Price	EMD Amount	Incremental value at Bid
1	All that piece and parcel of entire 2nd floor bearing house no. 22, measuring 2000 Sq. Ft. of residential building situated in Road no. 62, Punjabi Bagh West, New Delhi-110026 without roof/terrace rights with proportionate undivided share/rights in the freehold land underneath and bounded as under: East by: Service Lane, West by: Road no.62, North by: Property no. 20 & South by: Property no.24.	₹. 331.20	₹. 33.12	₹. 1.00

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website **(www.canarabank.com)** or may contact Chief Manager, **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru, Canara Bank, Ph. No.9483532366 other contact no 9900472090** during office hours on any working day.

Place: Bengaluru
Date : 30.01.2024

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

(SHARAVATHY GENERATING STATION)
CIN No: U85110KA1970SGC001919

No.:KPCL/2023-24/PS/WORK_INDENT 1001/CALL-2 Date:24.01.2024

ABSTRACT NOTICE INVITING e-TENDER

(Through KPP Portal only) **(Two Cover System)**

KPCL invites bids through GoK "e" Procurement Portal **Website URL:https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in "Dismantling of existing Cylinders from CO2 Flooding system, pressure Testing & Refilling of released CO2 Cylinders and Erection & Commissioning of refilled CO2 Cylinders in CO2 Flooding system of 1, 3, 4, 5, 9 & 10 at SGS'** from reputed bidders with proven track record of successful completion of similar works as specified in pre-qualifying requirements. **EMD: Rs. 1,00,000/-** Last date & time for online submission of tenders : **03.02.2024 upto 17:30 Hrs.** Further details can be had from office of the **Executive Engineer (Generator)Jog, SGS, KPCL,** Jogfalls-577435, Sagar Tq, Shimoga Dist. Mobile : 9449598804.

Form No. INC-26

[Pursuant to Rule 20 the Companies (Incorporation) Rules, 2014]

Advertisement to be published in the newspaper for Licensefor existing companies

Before the Central Government, South East Region

In the matter of the Companies Act, 2013 and Section 8(1) ofCompanies Act, 2013 and Rule 20) of the Companies(Incorporation) Rules, 2014

AND

In the matter of **FAROOKH ACADEMY OF MEDICAL EDUCATION PRIVATE LIMITED** having its registered office at 25/1 Residency Road, Bangalore & 560025, Petitioner

Notice is hereby given to the General Public that the company made application to the Central Government under section 8 of the Companies Act, 2013 which is desirous of being registered under section 8, without the addition to its name of the word "Limited" or the words "Private Limited", in terms of the special resolution passed at the Extra ordinary general meeting held on 12th January 2024 to enable the company for obtaining license under section 8 of the Act.

Any person whose interest is likely to be affected by the proposed change/status of the company may deliver or cause to be delivered or send by registered post of his/her objections supported by an affidavit stating the nature of his/her interest and grounds of opposition to the concerned Registrar of Companies at the address, "Registrar of Companies, Karnataka, 'E' Wing, 2nd Floor, Kendriya Sadana, Kormangala, Bangalore-560034, Karnataka. within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice with a copy of the applicant company at its registered office at the address mentioned below:

25/1 Residency Road, Bangalore, Bangalore, Karnataka, India, 560025

For and on behalf of the Applicant
FAROOKH ACADEMY OF MEDICAL EDUCATION PRIVATE LIMITED

Sd/-
BAVA MOHAMMED FAROOKH
Director
DIN: 01125117

Date: 30.01.2024
Place: Bangalore

MANDYA DIST. CO-OPERATIVE MILK PRODUCERS' SOCIETIES UNION LTD.

E-mail: manmulpurchase@gmail.com **Tele: 08232 – 274571**

IFT NO: MMU/PUR/E-Procu./105/Tender-19/2023-24 **Date: 30.01.2024**

TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Through E-procurement portal only)

Mandya Milk Union Ltd. invites e-Tenders for Supply of (1) Shifting, Upgradation, Re-Installation And Commissioning Of Existing Reverse Osmosis Plant And Its Accessories From Uht Plant Kumbalagodu To Proposed Uht Plant At Manmul Main Dairy, Gejjalagere-01 Job, (02) Tarpaulin Carry Bags-3000 Nos (3)Jerkins-1500 Nos (4) Backlit Board/Glowsign Board-12000 Sqft (5) Agent Display Flex Boards-5000 Sqft (6) LED/ACP Board-3000 Sqft (7) Sun Board With Vinyl Sticker - 20000 Sqft (8) Vinyl Sticker-2000 Sqft (9) T-Shirts-2000 Nos (10) Caps-2000 Nos (11) 350 Ltrs Capacity Milk Cooler-150 Nos (12) 120 Ltrs Capacity Milk Cooler-150 Nos (13) 350 Ltrs Capacity Visi Cooler-75 Nos.

Interested tenderers may please refer detail notice inviting tender for eligibility criteria & other details. Tenderers can downloaded documents from: **31.01.2024,** Last date of submission of tender: **15.02.2024 at 15.00 hrs,** Date of opening of Technical tender: **16.02.2024 after 15.30 hrs** & Commercial Bid opening will be intimated. Interested Tenderer's may download bidding documents from the **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in/** website. For More Information Contact Manager Purchase Mob: 9513888247.

Sd/-
MANAGING DIRECTOR

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Deputy Chief Information Officer, Information Tecnology Department,
Annex-2 Building, Ground Floor, BBMP Head office, N.R Square
Bengaluru-- 560002.

No: BBMP/DCIO-IT/GL/905/2023-24(P-1) **Dated: 30-01-2024**

Short Term Tender Notification

The Deputy Chief Information Officer, BBMP IT Department on behalf of Chief Commissioner, BBMP invites Proposals through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal from eligible companies for Procurement of Desktop Computers & UPS to BBMP Zonal Offices & Head Office.

All interested bidders shall submit their Technical and Commercial bids electronically through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal (https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in)

The tender schedule is as mentioned below:

Tender Reference No	BBMP/DCIO-IT/GL/905/ 2023-24(P-1)
Date from which Bid document is ready for download through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal of Government of Karnataka(https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in)	30.01.2024
Last date for seeking clarification if any	06-02-2024@15.00 Hrs
Date of Pre-bid Meeting	07-02-2024@16.00 Hrs
Last date and time for uploading of tender in Karnataka Public Procurement Portal platform	12-02-2024 upto17.00 Hrs
Date and time of opening of tenders: Technical Bid & Technical Evaluation	13-02-2024@11.00 Hrs
Date and time of opening of tenders: Commercial Bid (If Possible)	15-02-2024@11.00 Hrs
Contact Person for queries	DCIO, BBMP IT Section, Telephone 9480688000, E Mail: dcio-it@bbmp.gov.in
Place of Opening of Tenders and Address for communication	Office of the Deputy Chief Information Officer-IT, 2nd Floor, Annex-2 Building NR Square, BBMP, Bengaluru - 560002
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Rs.12.00,000/ (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Only)

Sd/-
(B Prabhakara), Deputy Chief information Officer,
Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike

TUNGABHADRA BOARD: TB DAM

e-Procurement Short Tender Notice IFB Nos.132/2023-24
Dt. 31.01.2024, 118/2023-24 & 119/2023-24 Dt.10.01.2024 (2nd Call)

Tender for total **03 Nos. of Works** in respect of HW & HLC Division, TB Dam under 'Collection of Fee' categories are re- invited through `e-Procurement'.

Bid Document downloading Start Date & Time:	01.02.2024 at 11:00 AM
Bid Document downloading End Date & Time : (IFB No.132, 118 to 119 (2nd Call))	07.02.2024 at 3:00 PM
Bid Submission End Date & Time : (IFB No.132, 118 to 119 (2nd Call))	07.02.2024 at 5:30 PM
Date of opening of Commercial Stage: (IFB No.132, 118 to 119 (2nd Call))	08.02.2024 at 11:00 AM
Date of opening of TQ Stage (IFB No.132, 118 to 119 2nd Call))	09.02.2024 at 11:00 Am

Further details can be seen @ https://tender.apeprocurement.gov.in

Ph: 08394-259114
Fax: 08394-259167

Sd/-
Superintending Engineer,
I.B, TB Board, TB Dam

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
Public Works Department
Executive Engineer PWD Division Chikkodi

No/PWD/CKD DIV/AE-1/TENDER/2023-24/5162 DATE: 30/01/2024

Short Term E-Tender Notification (Call-1 & Call-2)

Executive Engineer PWD Division Chikkodi has invited item wise short term e-Tender/retenders from Eligible registered contractors for the works coming under the jurisdiction of Chikodi PWD Division 1 work under head of account 5054-MDR Improvements, 1 work under head of account 3054-MDR Maintenance, 1 work under head of account 3054-SH Maintenance and 2 works under head of account 4059-PW Buildings, Totally 5 no. of works, amount put to tender is minimum of Rs. 83.33 Lakhs and maximum of Rs. 416.66 Lakhs.

Calendar of events:1)Pre-bid meeting date: 08-02-2024 at 11.00 AM, at The O/o the under signed.2)Last date for queries & clarifications : 09-02-2024 up to 5.30 PM, 3)Last Date of Receipt of Bids : 12-02-2024 up to 5.00 PM, 4)Date of opening of Financial bids (Single Cover System) : 14-02-2024 at 4.30 PM, 5)Date of opening of Technical bids (Two Cover System): 14-02-2024 at 4.30 PM, 6)Date of opening of Financial bids (Two Cover System): "after approval of Technical bids",7)If no bid received auto extension will be done by e-proc itself for 2 days.

For more information & forms of tender can be downloaded from kppp.karnataka.gov.in & departmental web site www.kpwd.gov.in. Further details can be collected from O/o Executive Engineer Public Works Dept.,Division Chikkodi during working hours.

Sd/- Executive Engineer
PWD Division Chikodi.

DIPR/BGM/RO-NO-1023/KSMCA/2023-24

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGCO25521)

No.EEE/MWD/AEE(O)/F-2/2023-24/3236-37 & 3238-39 Date: 29.01.2024

NOTIFICATION

1) Establishing 2x10 MVA, 110/11kV sub-station at Yadgir North by constructing 110kV SC line on DC towers from existing 110/33/11kV Nalwar sub-station to proposed 110/11kV Yadgir North sub-station for a distance of 21.519 km is completed . The line passes through the limits of the following villages

1) Arakera B 2) Kyasapanahalli 3) Kanchigarnahalli 4) Vaddanahalli 5) chamanahalli 6) Nalwar 7) Sugoor N 8) Ramapurahalli 9) Tarakaspet village limits.

The line will be energized on or after **10.02.2024.**

2) Establishing 2X10MVA, 110/11KV S/S at Sirwal village Shahapur Tq, Yadgir District by Constructing 110kV SC line on DC Towers along with the construction of terminal bay at Existing 110KV khanapur S/S in Shahapur Tq, Yadgir District for a distance of 18.447 km is completed . The line passes through the limits of the following villages.

1) Khanapur 2) Chatnalli 3) Dhoranahalli 4) Bidarani 5) Husaragundagi 6) Sirwal Village limits.

The line will be energized on or after **02.02.2024.**

Hence public are hereby requested to not to climb towers, tieing of animals, throwing of green sticks/stones on the 110KV lines are prohibited. As these activities are highly dangerous to the lives of both human beings and animals. For such activities KPTCL is not responsible.

Sd/-, Executive Engineer Ele,
Major Works Division, KPTCL
Prasarna Bhavan, Sedam Road, Kalaburagi.

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank — CANARA BANK

Branch : Jalahalli-II, Bangalore

POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Canara Bank under Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a **Demand Notice dated 17.08.2023** calling upon the borrower **Mr. Govinda Swamy Muddala S/o Beeranji. Sy.No.10/2, No.4, 5th Cross, Achappa Layout, Lakshmipura Main Road, Abbigere, Bangalore-560090**. Repay the amount mentioned in the notice, being **Rs.5,19,502.10/- (Rupees Five Lakhs Nineteen Thousand Five Hundred Two and Ten Paise only)** as on 30.01.2024, within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rule on this **30th day of January 2024.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Canara Bank (name of the Institution) for an amount of Rs.5.19,502,10/- (Rupees Five Lakhs Nineteen Thousand Five Hundred Two and Ten Paise only) and interest thereon.

Description of the Immovable Property

All The piece and parcel of western portion of Property bearing Site no. 10, (in Sy. No. 10/2), present V.P. Khatha No.438, Situated at Abbigere Village, Yeshwanthapur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore 560090 measuring East to West 26' +37/2 and North to South: 40' and **bounded on** East: Eastern portion of Site no.10, West: Site no.11, North: Property belonging to Basavaraj, South: Road.

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 30.01.2024

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

(A Government of India Undertaking)

Rajajinagar II Block
No.615, "Padma Complex", 80 Feet, Dr. Rajkumar Road, II Block, III Stage, Rajajinagar-560021.

DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)] TO BORROWER/GUARANTOR/MORTGAGOR

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Canara Bank, Rajajinagar 2nd Block Branch** had issued Demand Notices under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledged and returned due to non-availability of addresses at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. The contents of the said notices are mentioned herein below.

Name and Address of the Borrowers/Co-Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors:
1. M/s. Entologics Technologies Pvt Ltd, Reform Studio No.1427, Shivarama Karantha Nagar, 2nd Stage, MCECHS Layout, 80 Feet Road, Jakkur, Bengaluru - 560064. **2. Sri. Harikrishna. A** S/o. Sri. Avadanam, No.31/2, Sri Matpayonidhi, Between 9th and 10th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560003. **3. Smt. Anuradha. M** W/o. Sri Harikrishna. A, No.31/2, Sri Matpayonidhi, Between 9th and 10th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru -560003. **4. Smt. Manimala,** Reform Studio No.1427, Shivarama Karantha Nagar, 2nd Stage, MCECHS Layout, 80 Feet Road, Jakkur, Bengaluru -560064. **5. Sri. Sureddy Venkata Shetty,** Reform Studio No.1427, Shivarama Karantha Nagar, 2nd Stage, MCECHS Layout, 80 Feet Road, Jakkur, Bengaluru -560064.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Sl. No	Loan Number	Nature of Loan	Date of Sanction	Sanction Amount	Liability with interest as on date 01.12.2023	Rate of Interest
1	2698256000075	ODBD	29.03.2023	Rs. 2,50,00,000/-	Rs. 2,66,36,085/-	13.45%+2% Penal Int
2	2698755000056	GECL	05.08.2020	Rs. 30,00,000/-	Rs. 14,31,426/-	9.90%+2% Penal Int
3	170002212501	GECL EXTN	19.11.2021	Rs. 41,00,000/-	Rs. 41,51,232.34	9.75%+2% Penal Int
4	2698619011247	HL*	20.03.2008	Rs. 65,00,000/-	Rs. 47,64,360.19	8.95%+2% Penal Int
5	2698651011375	EL*	04.06.2020	Rs. 11,33,000/-	Rs. 13,20,696.00	10.65%+2% Penal Int

*** The above mentioned Housing Loan and Education loans are standard as on 16.07.2023 and the collateral security is continuing mortgage to the above housing loan and education loans.**

Total Liability Amont: Rs.3,22,18,743.34 (RupeesThree Crore Twenty Two Lakhs Eighteen Thousand Seven Hundred Forty Three and Paise Thirty Four Only) as on **01.12.2023** with further cost and charges and incidental expenses and costs.

NPA Date : 16.07.2023 **Demand Notice Dated : 01.12.2023**

Details of Immovable Property: Name of Title Holders : Mr. Harikrishna A & Mrs. Anuradha M

Schedule 'A' For Residential building: All that piece and parcel of the property measuring 36,163.87 square Meters forming portion of vacant land bearing municipal No.26 and 26/1, New No.26/1, situated at Industrial Suburb, 'A' Block, Subramanya Nagar, Municipal Ward No.9, Rajajinagar Extension (Malleshwaram West) Bengaluru and bounded on : East by: Railway Parallel Road-Yeswanthpur Railway Lane, West by : Dr. Rajkumar Road and remaining portion of largest property, North by: Remaining portion of Larger portion and South by: Vivekananda college and private properties.

Schedule 'B' Property (Undivided interest Sold) : 236/220213th undivided share, right, title, interest and ownership in Schedule 'A' Property (Which comes to 415 square feet of land share)

Schedule 'C' Property (Apartment) : All that piece and parcel of the Residential Apartment No.H 506, on the 5th Floor of H-WING-PHOENIX, in the Residential Apartment building known as 'Brigade Gateway', built in Schedule'A' property and measuring 1,960 square feet of built up area 400 square feet of proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, stair cases and all other areas of common use and totally measuring 2360 sq feet of super built up area with right to use two top covered Car parking areas in the Basement/Ground level and the Apartment is bounded on the : East by : Apartment No. H 507, in Fifth Floor in H-Wing-Phoenix in Brigade Gateway, West by : Apartment No. H 504, in the Fifth floor in H-Wing-Phoenix in Brigade Gateway. North by : Open towards open space in H-Wing-Phoenix in Brigade Gateway, South by : Lobby in Fifth Floor in H-Wing-Phoenix in Brigade Gateway.

The earlier Demand Notice dated 17.07.2023 stands withdrawn.

You are here by called upon to pay **Canara Bank,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which **Canara Bank** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Canara Bank** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagors including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Canara Bank** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice affixed and also Hypothecated / Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date : 31.01.2024
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
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The following borrower/s have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loans facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loans have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). A notice was issued to them under Section 13 (2) of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act-2002 on their last known addresses, however it was not served and hence they are hereby notified by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Property Address of Secured Asset/ Asset to be Enforced	Date of Notice Sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Parvathi Enterprises Represented By Proprietor B Suresh & Swapna A R/ No 1 Parvathi Nilaya Near Town Police Station Gowripet Kolar- 563101/ 185205002584/ 185255000006.	Commercial Property In Land And Building Having Katha No.356, Assessment No. 387. Pid No 9-3-524-186, 09th Ward, Dandupet, Kolar, Land Measuring East To West 105 Feet And North To South On Eastern Side 33 Feet 9 Inches And On Western Side 42 Feet With Building Consisting Of Ground Floor, And Bounded On The:- East By: Road. West By: Private Property. North By: Private Property. South By: Private Property. Property Owned By Mr. B Suresh Aged 60 Residing At Sri Parvathi Nilaya, Brm Colony, Near Town Policestation, Kolar-563101. Item No.1 All That Piece And Parcel Of The Property Bearing Katha No. 81, Assessment No.85, Situated At, 5th Cross, Gowripele, Ward No. 11, Kolar Town & District, Measuring Fast To West 11 Feet, North To South 60 Feet, Totally Measuring 660 Square Feet And Bounded On The:- East By: Own Site. West By: Property Of Jagadish. North By: Conservancy Lane. South By: Road. Item No.2 All That Piece And Parcel Of The Property Bearing Katha No. 79, Assessment No.83, Situated At 5th Cross, Gowripete, Ward No. 11, Kolar Town & District, Measuring East To West 11 Feet, North To South 17 Feet, Totally Measuring 187 Square Feet And Bounded On The:- East By: Property Of Wife Of Sri. Rajesh. West By: Own Property. North By: Conservancy Lane. South By : Property Of B. Suresh. Item No.3 All That Picce And Parcel Of The Property Bearing Katha No. 80, Assessment No.84, Situated At, 5th Cross, Gowripete, Ward No. 11, Kolar Town & District; Measuring East To West 11 Feet, North To South 43 Feel, Totally Measuring 473 Square Feet And Bounded On The:- East By: Property Of Nagabhushan. West By: Common Passage North By: Property Of Gangadhar And Family. South By: Road. Together With All Buildings And Structures Thereon And All Plant And Machinery Attached To The Earth Or Permanently Fastened To Anything Extached To The Earth, Both Present And Future.	December 16, 2023 Rs. 25,43,015.00/-	09/10/ 2023
2.	Habeeb Rahmathullah Anees Fathima Represented By Habeeb Rahmathullah Anees Fathima And Seyed Ibrahim/ 53 Prestige Ozone Behind Forum Value Mall Whai Whaitfield Bangalore- 560066/ 194805000293.	(As Described In The Loan Document/ Property Document Covering All That Residential Villa No. 153 In 'Beech' Type Built On The Consisting Of Ground And First Floor Measuring 3190 Sq Ft, Built-up Area Including All Cheljas, Projections Utility Area And Parking Areas Etc, And Bounded In Below And The Walls Are Built Out Of Brick And Coment With Marble Flooring And R.C.C. Roofing The Wood Used Is Honne/ Teak. It Has Electricity, Water And Sandary Connections (Admeasuring An Area Of 3190 Sq Ft Bounded By: On The North By: Intermal Layout Road In 'Prestige Ozone, On The South By: Villa No 160 In 'Chestnut Type Of 'Prestige Ozone On The East By: Villa No. 152 In 'Beech Type Of Prestige Ozone On The West By: Villa No 154 In "Beech" Type Of Prestige Ozone.	December 16, 2023 Rs. 61,70,467.00/-	17/10/ 2023
3.	Madina Clothing Textiles Represented By Proprietor Syed Salman/ No 1 Ramesh Padmavathi, Building, Vinayak Nagar Lm, Bes School Back Side Anekal Taluk Banchandhra Bangalore Karnataka- 560099/ 029905002840.	(As Described In The Loan Document/ Property Document Covering All That Piece And Parcel Of The Vacant Site Bearing Old No.62, Later No. 26A And Thereafter 26 And Present Municipal No. 28, Situated At "M" Cross, New Guruppana Palya, Taverekere, Bangalore 560029 Measuring East To West 15 Sq Feet And North To South Sq 55 Feet, Totally Measuring About 825 Square Feet Being Bounded In Below And Together With All The Buildings And Structures Thereon, Fixtures, Fittings And All Plant And Machinery Attached To The Earth Or Permanently Fastened To Anything Attached To The Earth, Both Present And Future (Admeasuring An Area Of 825 Square Feet Bounded By: On The North By: Private Property On The South By: Road On The East By: Property Bearing No. 26-B On The West By: Private Property.	December 16, 2023 Rs. 33,61,643.00/-	10/10/ 2023
4.	Mizba Hosiery Represented By Proprietor Mukarram Pasha & Ayesha Siddiqa/ No 6 Padmavathi Complex 1st Flr As Char Street Bangalore- 560053/ 025105007815.	(As Described In The Loan Document/ Property Document Covering All That Piece And Parcel Of Immovable House Property Bearing Gramatuna Katha No.20/2, Property No.151, Situated At Kadirenahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Presently Within The Limits Of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No.181, New Municipal No.68 (Old No.151 (20/2), PID No.55-182-68, Situated At 4th Main, Illiyasa Nagara West, Bangalore, Measuring East To West: 50-0 (Fifty) Feet And North To South: 30-0 (thirty) Feet, Totally Measuring 1500 Square Feet, And Bounded In Below And Along With Rcc Roofed House Constructed On Schedule Property Comprising Of 10 Squares In The Ground Floor And 3% Squares In The First Floor. The House Is Built With Brick And Cement Mortar, Doors And Windows Fitted With Jungle Woods, Mosaic Flooring, With All Civic Amenities (Admeasuring An Area Of 1500 Square Feet Bounded By : On The North By: Road, On The South By: Site Bearing No. 150 On The East By: Road. On The West By: Site Bearing No. 132.	December 16, 2023 Rs. 26,76,514.00/-	14/09/ 2023
5.	Future World Represented By Proprietor Pyari Mohan Das & Vilas Alur/ 4th Floor, No.1348, Unit Of 7th Avenue, Jayanagar 9th Block, South End Main Road Bangalore- 560011/ 185005000796.	Property 1: Property Bearing Plot No 20 Khatha No 479/20 In The Layout By Name "Mantri Lakeview" Formed In The Property Bearing Survey Nos 45, 40/1 & 46/20f Thallaghattapura Village And 7/13of Manavarthekaval Village Ullarahalli Hobli Bangalore South Taluk Bangalore Measuring 4182 Sq Feet Or 389 Sq Mtrs, And Bounded On The: East By: Property Bearing Plot No 21 West By: Garden North By: Private Property South By: Road, Together With All The Buildings And Structures Thereon, Fixtures, Fittings And All Plant And Machinery Attached To The Earth Or Permanently Fastened To Anything Attached To The Earth, Both Present And Future. Property 2: Property Bearing 0.20% Undivided Share Right Title And Interest Equivalent To 747.71 Sqfeet In The Bearing Sy No 8/1 Situated At Uttarahalli Manavarthakaval Village Ullarahalli Hobli Bangalore South Taluk Bangalore Measuring In All About 3,78,367, 13sq Of Land (excluding An Area Of 13672.75 Sq Feet Which Is The Retained By The Vendor For The Construction Of Club House And Swimming Pool) And Bounded On The: East By: Private Property West By:bda Road, North By: Hara Fresh Field And Layout Road South By: Property Bearing Sy No 8/2, Of Manavarthekaval Together With All The Buildings And Structures Thereon, Fixtures, Fittings And All Plant And Machinery Attached To The Earth Or Permanently Fastened To Anything Attached To The Earth, Both Present And Future.	December 20, 2023 Rs. 1,07,45,495.00/-	31/10/ 2023
6.	Electronic Relays (India) Pvt Ltd Represented By Directors Umesh Bimaji Ganjam, Eswar Ganjam & Dushyanth Ganjam/ 93/A Industrial Suburb 2nd Stage, 3rd Cross, Yeswanthpur, Bangalore Karnataka- 560058/ 318305000163/ 318351000001/ 318355000001.	(As Described In The Loan Document/ Property Document Covering All That Piece And Parcel Of Site No 93/A Industrial Suburb 2nd Stage Rajaji Nagar Bangalore 560058 Measuring East To West 150 Feet And North To South 139 Feet In All Measuring 2316.70 Sq.yards And Situated Within The Following Boundaries And Together With All The Buildings And Structures Thereon, Fixtures, Fittings And All Plant And Machinery Attached To The Earth Or Permanently Fastened To Anything Attached To The Earth, Both Present And Future (Admeasuring An Area Of 2316.70 Sq.yards North: Road South: Site No 93 East: Road West: Site No 93/B.	December 20, 2023 Rs. 6,01,96,324.00/-	30/10/ 2023

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above borrower/s and/or their guarantors (as applicable) are advised to make the payments of outstanding within period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice else further steps will be taken as per the provisions of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Date : February 01, 2024
Place : Bangalore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

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E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES "APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provision to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest(Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower, Mortgagor (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of **Bank of Baroda,** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** basis for recovery of dues in below mentioned account/s. The details of Borrower(s)/ Mortgagor(s)/ Guarantor(s)/ Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below-

SR/ LOT NO.	NAME & ADDRESS OF BORROWER/S/GUARANTOR/S	GIVE SHORT DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY WITH KNOWN ENCUMBRANCES, IF ANY	TOTAL DUES	DATE & TIME OF E-AUCTION	RESERVE PRICE, EMD AND BID INCREASE AMOUNT	STATUS OF POSSESSION (CONSTRUCTIVE/ PHYSICAL)	PROPERTY INSPECTION DATE & TIME
1	**(1) Mrs. Indu Narayanappa,** No.191, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Near Post Office, Viveknagar, Bengaluru South, Bengaluru-560047 **(2) Mr. Srinath. N,** No.191, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Near Post Office, Viveknagar, Bengaluru South, Bengaluru-560047 **Branch : Cox Town**	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing HAL Sanitary Board House No.97, now comes under the jurisdiction of BBMP having New Municipal No.2426/1, PID No.74-138-2426/1, measuring East to West 22 Feet, North to South 62 Feet, totally measuring 1364 Square Feet, situated at 16th 'A' Main Road, 2nd 'E' Cross, Kodihalli, HAL 2nd Stage, BBMP Ward No.74, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru, and bounded on the: East by: Road, West by: Property No.2426, North by: 16th A Main Road, South by: Remaining Vacant portion of same property and thereafter property bearing No.2431/1.	**Rs.1,18,31,027.10 (Rupees One Crore Eighteen Lakhs Thirty One Thousand Twenty Seven and Ten Paise as on 31.01.2024 (Plus further interest and other charges)**	**22.02.2024 and From 02:00 PM to 06:00 PM**	**RESERVE PRICE: Rs.1,51,76,250/- EMD AMOUNT: Rs.15,17,625/- BID INCREASE AMOUNT: Rs.1,00,000/- Last Date and Time of Receipt of EMD Amount: 20/02/2024**	**PHYSICAL POSSESSION**	**WITH PRIOR APPOINTMENT FROM AUTHORISED OFFICER**
2	**(1) Mrs. Padmavathi R W/o Mr C Sreekanta (2) Mr C Sreekanta S/o Mr.Chandrappa** Both 1 & 2 Resides at No,1346, 1st floor, 6th Cross, 10th main, 3rd stage, BEML Layout, Rajeshwarinagar , Bengaluru-560098 **Branch : Yelahanka Old Town**	**SCHEDULE A PROPERTY :** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Sy nos 30,31,&32, measuring 13 Acre 01 Guntas, situated at Adigarakallahalli, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban, Within the revenue Jurisdiction of BMRDA, Bangalore in the project called as"La-Vile Township" and bounded on: East by: Survey no. 28 and 29, West by: Survey no 47, North by: Survey no 142 and 145, South by: Survey no. 117. **SCHEDULE B PROPERTY :** All that piece and parcel of the residential plot bearing No.79, having E Khatha No.150200102700422557 No.248/79 bearing residential plot measuring East to West 12.190 mts North to South 9.140mts, in all measuring 111.42 sq.mtrs in the schedule A property situated at Adigarakallahalli, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban and bounded on : East by : Road, West by : Site No.97, North by : Site No.80, South by : Site No.78.	**Rs. 35,70,477.15 (Rupees Thirty Five Lakhs Seventy Thousand Four Hundred Seventy Seven & Paisa Fifteen Only) as on 31-01-2024 plus Further interest and other charges.**	**22.02.2024 & From 02:00 PM to 06:00 PM**	**RESERVE PRICE: Rs. 27,50,000/- EMD AMOUNT: Rs. 2,75,000/- BID INCREASE AMOUNT: Rs.25,000/- Last Date and Time of Receipt of EMD Amount: 20/02/2024**	**PHYSICAL POSSESSION**	**WITH PRIOR APPOINTMENT FROM AUTHORISED OFFICER**
3	**(1) Smt. Shylaja K V W/o. Narasimhaiah.M,** No.49, 2nd Cross, Bloom Field Garden, Ramachandrapura, Vidyaranyapura, Bangalore-560097 **(2) Sri. Narasimhaiah.M S/o. Late Muniyappa,** No.49, 2nd Cross, Bloom Field Garden, Ramachandrapura, Vidyaranyapura, Bangalore-560097 **Branch: Peenya 2nd Stage**	**Schedule "A" Property :** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Old Corporation No.15, 15/1, 16 and I6/1, presently after amalgamation Corporation Municipal No.15, BBMP PID No.1-39-15, situated at SM Road, Jalahalli West Bangalore formed in Survey No:14, New 14/2 of Peenya Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, BBMP Ward No.1, presently comes under the limits of Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Bengaluru, totally measuring 4,544 Square Feet out of entire Land measuring 22,993 Square Feet and bounded on: East by: Private Property, West by: Private Property, North by: Road, South by: Road and Private Property. **Schedule "B" Property :** 394 Square Feet of undivided share, right, title and interest in the schedule "A" property. **Schedule "C" Property :** All the piece and parcel of the Apartment bearing Flat No. C-6, in the 1st Floor, in the "C" Block, in the building known as "Global Aura Project", having Super Built Up Area measuring 2,000 Square Feet, constructed on Schedule "A" property with right to pass through the area leading to the main road and free egress and ingress and entitled for all the common areas and amenities with covered Car parking.	**Rs. 1,34,52,736.66/- (Rupees One Crore Thirty Four Lakhs Fifty Two Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty Six and Sixty Six Paise Only) as on 31.01.2024 Plus further interest and other charges from 31-01-2024**	**22.02.2024 & From 02:00 PM to 06:00 PM**	**RESERVE PRICE: Rs. 87,00,000/- EMD AMOUNT: Rs. 8,70,000/- BID INCREASE AMOUNT: Rs.50,000/- Last Date and Time of Receipt of EMD Amount: 20/02/2024**	**PHYSICAL POSSESSION**	**WITH PRIOR APPOINTMENT FROM AUTHORISED OFFICER**
4	**(1) M/s H A Traders rep. by its Prop. Mrs. Anusha T N** No.3, 1st Cross, Shirdi Sai Ratan Layout, RK Hegde Nagar, Rachenahalli, Bengaluru – 560077. (2) Mrs. Anusha T N **(3) Mr. Sunil Kumar R** Both 2 and 3 resides at No.1666, 6th Cross, MCECHS Layout, Phase II, Jakkur, Bangalore – 560064 Also at: Site No-29, Ward No-3, Narayanappa Layout, Rosypura Village, Nandihills Road, Doddaballapura, Bangalore -561203 **Branch: MSRIT Branch**	1) All that piece and parcel of the Site No.48, Khatha No.2395/48, East to West 12.19mts, North to South 9.14mts, Herebedanur Village & Hobli Gowrebidanur Taluk, Chikkabalapura District & bounded on East by : 9mts Road, West by : Site No.53, North by : Land, South by : Site No.49.	**Rs. 83,66,545.45 (Rupees Eighty Three Lakh Sixty Six Thousand Five Hundred and Forty Five & Paisa Forty Five Only) as on 31-01-2024 plus Further interest and other charges.**	**22.02.2024 & From 02:00 PM to 06:00 PM Last Date and Time of Receipt of EMD Amount: 20/02/2024**	**RESERVE PRICE: Rs. 11,40,000/- EMD AMOUNT: Rs.1,14,000/- BID INCREASE AMOUNT: Rs.25,000/-**	**PHYSICAL POSSESSION**	**WITH PRIOR APPOINTMENT FROM AUTHORISED OFFICER**
		2) All that piece and parcel of the Site No.107, Khatha No.2395/107, East to West 9.14mts, North to South 9.45mts,Herebedanur Village & Hobli Gowrebidanur Taluk, Chikkabalapura District & bounded on: East by : Site No.106, West by: Site No.108, North by : Land, South by : 9mts Road.			**Reserve Price: Rs. 9,03,000/- EMD: Rs.90,300/- Bid Increment Amount: Rs. 25,000/-**		
		3) All that piece and parcel of the Site No.53, Khatha No.2395/53, East to West 10.36mts, North to South 9.75mts, Herebedanur Village & Hobli Gowrebidanur Taluk, Chikkabalapura District & bounded on : East by : Site No.48, West by : 9mts Road, North by : Land, South by : Site No.52.			**Reserve Price: Rs.,10,45,000/- EMD: Rs.1,04,500/- Bid Increment Amount: Rs. 25,000/-**		

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction.htm and https://ibapi.in. Also, prospective bidders may contact the authorized officer on Mobile No's. + 91 9986695637.

Date: 31.01.2024, Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer, Bank of Baroda

EDITORIAL

"Want to increase innovation? Lower the cost of failure" — Joichi Ito

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— Ramnath Goenka

LET THE TRICOLOUR RISE ABOVE OTHER FLAGS THIS SEASON

THE election war cry has rung out in Karnataka with a controversy over flags. A Hanuman *dhwaja*—a saffron flag with Lord Hanuman's face—that had been hoisted on government land in Keragodu village in Mandya district, was brought down to hoist the tricolour on Republic Day. That it had been hoisted by a private trust and brought down by government authorities is lost amid the hue and cry raised over it. BJP workers and villagers are demanding that the *dhwaja* be raised again, while the government has maintained that no flag barring the tricolour can be hoisted on government land. The local panchayat development officer has been suspended for allowing a private trust to hoist the flag. Suddenly, more flag poles and saffron flags are coming up in various districts, leading to friction. Another row over a green flag broke out in Tadkod village of Dharwad district after a youngster from a minority community put up a controversial social media post, leading to communal tension. This issue is also festering, though the villagers have tamped down on violence.

The two controversies in the span of a week are threatening to polarise the state ahead of the elections. The BJP, which won 25 of the 28 Lok Sabha seats in the state the last time, is banking on the flag row to raise the political temperature, demanding that all green flags put up in minority areas be brought down. The Mandya incident is electorally significant because the BJP has failed to make inroads into this district, which voted overwhelmingly for the Congress in the assembly elections, and has traditionally voted either Janata Dal (Secular) or Congress. In a show of unity, BJP and JDS leaders hit the streets of Mandya demanding that the saffron flag be reinstated. This could mark the beginning of communalisation of the state's farming heartland, which chose independent candidate Sumalatha Ambareesh in the 2019 Lok Sabha election over JDS chief H D Kumaraswamy's son Nikhil Kumaraswamy.

The hoisting of a flag is symbolic of triumph and an assertion of the victor. In these charged times, when battles are sparked on the social media and fought on the streets, religious and sectarian flags are creating strife. If the country has to move ahead with the '*Sabka saath, sabka vikas*' mantra, only the national flag should hold pride of place.

INTENSIFY THE DRIVE AGAINST LITTERING

THE long Republic Day weekend saw lakhs of people making a beeline for treks on the 1,712-metre-high Kumara Parvatha, the highest peak in the Pushpagiri Wildlife Sanctuary in the Kodagu region of Western Ghats. Predictably, the trekkers left behind mounds of litter. It was not surprising that after the scale of littering came to light, the Karnataka forest, environment and ecology minister Eshwar Khandre did what he should have done in the first place—he directed the forest and eco-tourism departments not to allow people to trek without prior online clearances. But the minister's direction would take care of just a fraction of the problem.

Littering is as rampant as it can get across India. It is as if it is so deeply cemented in people's minds that it is impossible to dislodge. Throwing litter out while riding or walking is a common act that goes unquestioned, as if it were a basic right. It is like the mind shutting out all signals to approach a bin to discard the waste. So litter finds itself discarded with the least of efforts. And so we get to see so much litter in our public spaces.

We know littering in urban surroundings causes flooding as garbage obstructs drainage. But its impact on natural ecosystems is worse, directly threatening them. Trekkers leave behind nails used in setting up tents, broken bottles which injure wild animals, gums and plastic articles that are consumed by herbivores. Cigarette butts, which contain tiny plastic fibres, are a sizable part of this rubbish. Consumption of plastic by herbivores affects the entire wildlife food chain, impacting the predator-prey cycle. Veterinarians have found large quantities of plastic in the abdomen of wild herbivores during post-mortems.

Littering is a habit that we nurture outside our homes, seldom inside them. We extend it to public spaces without realising its adverse impacts. Anti-littering awareness programmes have failed, as is evident with the persistent littering practice. This calls for more intense and direct awareness programmes, besides steeper penalties and more stringent action to bring in a mindset change. It is not about rights and freedom here, it is about the safety of our ecosystem.

QUICK TAKE

MORE COMPASSIONATE CAPITALISM

THE world's richest man just got rapped for taking the fattest pay package. A US judge tossed out Elon Musk's 10-year package of $56 billion at Tesla, calling it "an unfathomable sum". While Musk's wealth and pay are both linked to stock prices, the value of his package is more than 30,000 times the median pay in his car company. Top-to-bottom wage ratios have grown in India too. N R Narayana Murthy has advocated for a more compassionate capitalism in developing countries like India. He proposed a ratio of 20-25 between the CEO's pay and that of lowest-level professional. We should heed it as a good corporate governance norm.

An Interim Budget isn't a Vote on Account. An Economic Survey is different from a Review, like the one just presented. The terms' origins reveal their links

SEARCHING FOR A SHAPE OF BUDGET TO COME

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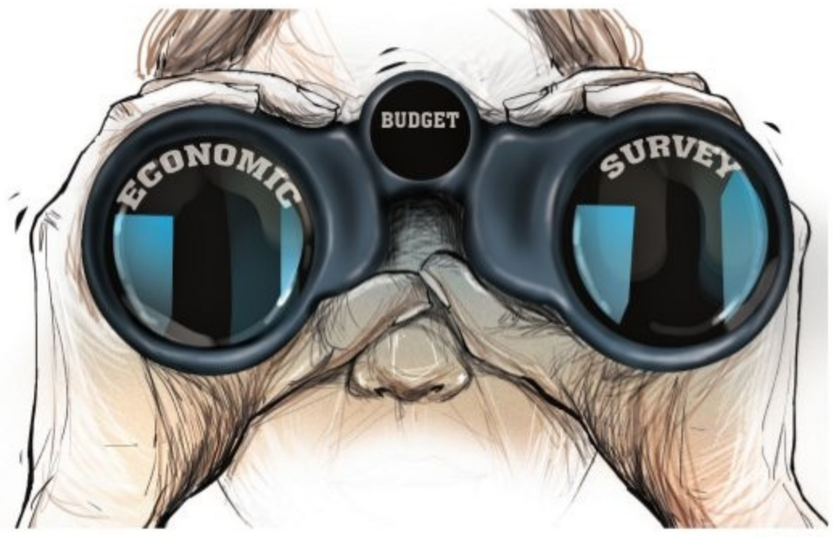

SOURAV ROY

WHAT'S in a name? Is an Interim Budget, like the one that's being presented today, the same as a Vote on Account, as some commentators who should know better are suggesting? For clarity, we need to look at where the terms come from.

Vote on Account is explicitly mentioned in the Constitution's Article 116. Parliamentary approval is required for expenditure out of the Consolidated Fund (Articles 113, 114). When this is not possible and the prescribed procedures cannot be followed, Article 116 provides a temporary reprieve. After all, the government cannot cease to function because it has no money. This provision is used when elections have been called and the incumbent government is a caretaker.

In this particular case, we know there will be elections, but no elections have actually been called so far. Therefore, the expression 'Vote on Account' is a misnomer—it, naturally, cannot have changes in taxes and expenditure. In contrast, the expression Interim Budget doesn't figure in the Constitution, just as deputy prime minister doesn't.

There won't be sufficient time to pass a Finance Bill before the election results are known. Besides, it is only fair that the new government decides on its own taxation and expenditure proposals, not just for 2024-25, but also as a framework for 2024-29. In other words, there can be changes in taxes and expenditure proposals in an Interim Budget, but they are not intended to be substantial. Nirmala Sitharaman's Interim Budget for 2024 has already been dissected. Since the political composition of the new government in May 2024 is likely to be the same as the present one, one might as well wait for the full Budget for 2024-25.

Traditionally, the Union Budget has been associated with the Economic Survey. (This is equally true of state budgets and associated surveys.) The Economic Survey is not a constitutional requirement. Let me quote from John Mathai's Budget speech for 1950-51: "All that I propose to do at this stage is to give the honourable members a broad outline of the budgetary position and the general economic background of the Budget. This Budget is being presented under the new Constitution." Accordingly, the Budget speech had a long review of the economy. It continued in that way till 1958-59. That was the first year when we had a separate Economic Survey delinked from the Budget, but presented in parallel. The Budget speech naturally still has references to economic developments, but there is much greater detail in the Survey. Down the years, the Survey has expanded in size and coverage. It is presented two days before the Budget because there used to be a Railway Budget one day before the Budget.

What purpose does the Survey serve? Remember, under the Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act of 2003, there are several other documents presented along with the Budget—the macroeconomic framework statement, fiscal policy strategy statement and medium-term fiscal policy statement. But these never attract the kind of attention the Survey does, probably because these documents are eclipsed by the Budget; more importantly, because the Survey is directly identified with the persona of the Chief Economic Adviser (CEA) and his office.

If you go down the list of CEAs, traditionally, they were low-profile as long as they occupied that office. There was a Victorian adage to the effect that children should be seen and not heard. Altered to suit the context, CEAs should be heard (within the government), but not seen or heard otherwise. Somewhere down the line, media exploded and CEAs became much more visible. Often, this affected the nature of the Economic Survey.

The Survey reflects the views of the government—the finance ministry or the department of economic affairs, if you prefer—not those of an individual. That being the case, a certain set of core issues need to be covered, not subject to the whims and fancies of the incumbent CEA. A few recent CEAs have not quite believed in that proposition and have made the Survey individual-dependent, citing themselves profusely. Citations for purposes of analytical rigour are fine, but not if a CEA exhibits a bias towards quoting himself.

Many years ago, when I embarked on my professional career, the Survey used to be physical, not digital. And there was a frenetic rush to try and get hold of it. (Newspapers typically printed only the first chapter.) The Economic Survey is not a source of primary data. It is a secondary source, with the primary source somewhere else within government. But for people outside the government, the Survey was a primary source. Times have changed and there is plenty of data emerging independent of the Survey, including dashboards and other stuff from government. The data argument as a justification for the Survey is no longer as convincing as it used to be. Besides, with the timing of the Survey—this was true even before the date of the Budget presentation was changed—we never have a full year's numbers.

Inertia and resistance to change runs deep, especially given the hype surrounding the Budget. Otherwise, like John Mathai, we could have had a brief sketch of the economy in the Budget speech, with the Survey moving to June/July. But this is wishful thinking. Besides, we do have something like that in the Monthly Economic Reviews. Since this is an Interim Budget, we don't have an Economic Survey. That will have to wait for the full Budget. Instead, we have a document that is called a Review of the Indian economy.

In large measure, this document answers the question about why we need a Survey, whatever be its name. That's because such a document tells us how the government looks at the economy, the problems, priorities and possible policies. Given that the Survey is two days before Budget, one should not presume the Survey gives us any indication about what the Budget has to offer. Historically, it will be difficult to establish such a correlation. Often, a Survey advocated reforms and was applauded, only to be refuted by the Budget. Sometimes, Survey was lambasted because of its lacklustre nature, but the Budget surprised everyone. As far as I recall, 1997-98 was one such instance.

In fairness, however, there has been no such dissonance between the Survey and the Budget with the two Narendra Modi governments, especially since 2018. Though this recent Review isn't a full-fledged Survey, that's how we should look at the issues it has flagged.

(Views are personal)

ACTIVE NON-ALIGNMENT IN A CHANGING WORLD

JORGE HEINE

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THERE is little doubt that 2023 was the year in which the Global South came into its own. The expansion of the BRICS that was announced at the group's summit in Johannesburg in August; the G20 summit held in New Delhi in September, considered to be a feather in India's diplomatic cap; the G77 + China summit held in Havana later that month; and the strong reaction of much of Africa, Asia and Latin America to the war in Gaza in the past few months—epitomised by South Africa's case against Israel at the International Court of Justice in The Hague—all point in that direction.

They all underscore the degree to which the main cleavage in today's world is not between democracy and authoritarianism, as some would have it, but rather between the North and the Global South, between the West and the Rest. The question then becomes what the implications of this are for the developing world and for India in particular.

Enter Kajal Basu's timely piece in this newspaper, '*Is India refusing to lead active non-alignment?*' (January 10). Basu takes up the issue of active non-alignment or ANA, a concept me and my colleagues Carlos Fortin and Carlos Ominami coined and set forth in a recent book, *Latin American Foreign Policies in the New World Order: The Active Non-Alignment Option* (Anthem Press), whose paperback edition is coming out now.

Drawing on the best traditions of Indian foreign policy, active non-alignment makes the case that in the current era of Great Power competition, the worst thing developing nations can do is to align themselves with one or another of these powers. On the contrary, what they need to do is to put their own national interest front and centre, evaluate each issue on its merits and act accordingly. This, of course, is a demanding diplomatic task, as it requires fine-tuned, sophisticated analysis of what is at stake. At the same time, while drawing on the traditions of the non-aligned movement or NAM, active non-alignment also adapts them to the realities on the new century.

A key factor here is what has been called the 'wealth shift' from the North Atlantic to the Asia-Pacific. Today's fastest growing economies, including India, are to be found in Asia, and this is where the action is. New multilateral financial institutions, such as the Asian Investment and Infrastructure Bank (AIIB) and the New Development Bank (the so-called 'BRICS Bank') have meant that "collective financial statecraft" and South-South cooperation have replaced the *diplomatie des cahiers des doléances* (diplomacy of victimhood) of the Third World of yesteryears. This puts countries in the Global South in a much stronger position.

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> The divide between the West and the rest is growing. South-South cooperation is replacing the earlier 'diplomacy of victimhood'. It makes all the more sense to engage with the Great Powers of our times without tilting towards one. Brazilian President Lula is showing how such a balance can be struck

Originally crafted in Latin America in response to the growing tensions between the United States and China in that part of the world, active non-alignment also has caught on elsewhere. In Africa, the refusal of many countries to side with the West on its stance on the Russian invasion of Ukraine and to support the Western sanctions imposed on Moscow were proof positive that the days when Washington and Brussels could impose their views on the rest of the world are long past. In Southeast Asia, Vietnam's 'bamboo diplomacy', that balances the good relations it holds both with Washington and Beijing, tells a similar story. The same can be said about Indonesia, which was a shoo-in to join the BRICS, but had second thoughts at the last moment and is still mulling it over.

And although Basu gets much about active non-alignment right, he is wrong when he says that it is an "almost exclusively anti-Western Axis, and indeed, works in favour of China". That is not correct. The very basis of active non-alignment lies in keeping an equal distance from both powers, and in taking pains not to tilt in one direction or the other. The best example of this the policy followed by Luiz Inácio 'Lula' da Silva of Brazil, who, after taking office in his third term, pointedly visited Washington before visiting Beijing, and enjoys a good rapport both with President Joe Biden and with President Xi Jinping. Active non-alignment is a pragmatic, non-ideological guide to action in a changing world.

Indeed, one of the banes of the non-aligned movement, including Latin America's participation in it, was that at one point it was seen as tilting towards the Soviet Union, undermining much of its credibility. This takes us to the role of India in this troubled moment in world affairs. Yes, India has pointedly refused to use the term non-alignment, let alone active non-alignment, preferring to refer to multi-alignment. Yet, in the end, this is not a question of nomenclature.

On one of the great issues of our time, the war in Ukraine, and despite its membership in the Quadrilateral Security Dialogue or the Quad—sometimes referred to as an "Asian NATO"—India refused to condemn Russia's action, as it has refused to endorse the unilateral Western sanctions against Moscow. At the same time, it has excellent relations with the United States. The fact that over the past year India chaired the G20 and held a highly successful summit of this group, despite the tensions affecting it, shows that it is perfectly possible to keep good relations with Washington and Moscow, while also aspiring to lead the Global South.

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Judicial balance

Ref: *When court cautions nation* (Jan 31). In these tumultuous times, the New Indian Express tends to represent both sides of the political spectrum, but articles such as these reassure me that there are still voices out there who are speaking the language of reason. It is good to know that there are brave judges that are willing to uphold the Rule of Law even as our country tilts towards a majoritarian moment. I shall keep an eye out for news on Justice B V Nagarathna .

Abhijeet Tambe, email

Pakistan's problem

Ref: *Another Hobson's choice* (Jan 31). Pakistan's politics is becoming problematic. It's a wonder how people are tolerating such politics with the near-certainty of Nawaz Sharif coming to power again. With its economy in shambles, it's only a matter of time before people will rise against the government.

K Nehru Patnaik, Visakhapatnam

Two doors

Ref: *Embrace AI and use it wisely to transform* (Jan 31). I strongly agree with this editorial that embracing AI doesn't guarantee a positive turnover. It could lead to tech companies laying off a number of employees. However, it will also open the door to new kinds of jobs for juniors. When one door is closed, another opens.

Saanvi N, email

Repeat performance

Ref: *Soren's wife-as-CM plan back on the front burner* (Jan 31). The JMM coalition in Jharkhand is drenched in all sorts of financial misdeeds. Chief Minister Hemant Soren is repeating Lalu Yadav's strategy of employing his wife as a puppet CM. Such drama cannot be allowed to be repeated in Jharkhand.

K V Raghuram, Wayanad

Desperate measures

Ref: *Bengaluru engineer breaks into aged couple's home, steals cash, jewellery; held* (Jan 31). This news is proof of how individuals can take desperate measures while facing financial hardship. It's a reminder of the need for a sturdy support system and availability of resources to help people navigate.

Yumiko Alex, Bengaluru

Small difference

Ever since the Bihar CM switched sides from the INDIA bloc to NDA, he has become the butt of jokes. When one looks closely at the switch, it is clear that he has just removed the letter 'I' from his alliance to join NDA. However, the BJP might decimate the JDU by eating into its vote share, as it has done in the past.

N Nagarajan, email

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POSTS OF THE DAY

Piyush Goyal @PiyushGoyal
In the last 10 years, our government has completed the works of national interest which were stalled for decades...

P Chidambaram @PChidambaram_IN
Unless there is an Opposition and the people elect different parties in different elections, democracy will not be safe and enduring.

Aaditya Thackeray @AUThackeray
How long now do we pretend that we are a real democracy? It has been silently crushed, and today it stands finished.

'Ram temple a milestone in India's history'

In address to both Houses, President Murmu lists Art 370 abrogation & economic progress as major govt achievements

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

President Droupadi Murmu arrives with V-P Jagdeep Dhankhar and PM Narendra Modi for the Parliament session on Wednesday | PTI

PRESIDENT Droupadi Murmu addressing the joint sitting of both Houses in the new Parliament building said on Wednesday that for centuries, there was an "aspiration to construct Ram Mandir, and today, it is a reality."

"In cultural history, there are some milestones that decide the future of centuries. In India's history also, there have been numerous such milestones. On January 22, the country witnessed one such milestone. After a long wait, Ram Lalla now resides in a grand temple in Ayodhya", she said in her 75-minute address.

She said following the consecration ceremony in Ayodhya, 13 lakh devotees have had 'darshan' in only five days.

The President said a nation can progress at a fast pace only when it overcomes the past challenges and invests maximum energy in the future.

"Over the past 10 years, India has witnessed several such tasks being accomplished in the national interest, for which the people of the country were waiting for decades. There were doubts regarding the removal of Article 370 from Jammu and Kashmir. Those are now history," she said amid thumping of desks by MPs. She also said Parliament has enacted a strict law against 'triple talaq.'

Murmu reached Parliament in a traditional buggy and entered the House with the 'sengol' being carried in front of her.

The President said the Indian economy was among the "fragile five" but is now moving in the right direction with the right pace due to several reforms undertaken by the government. Quoting the Niti Aayog report, she said in the 10-year rule of the government, nearly 25 crore people have come out of poverty. She said earlier the country's rate of inflation was in double digits, which is now within 4%.

Congratulating PM Modi for the passage of the women's reservation bill, the President said the 'Nari-Shakti Vandan Adhiniyam has been enacted after a wait of three decades. "This has paved the way for ensuring greater participation of women in the Lok Sabha and the Legislative Assemblies."

The government resolve is for women-led development. "My government has continuously upheld its commitment to 'reform, perform and transform.' The criminal justice system rooted in the era of slavery is now history. Now, justice takes precedence over punishment. The nation has got a new Nyaya Sanhita based on the principle of 'justice first'. The digital personal data protection Act will make the digital space more secure," she said.

As many as 76 old laws were repealed last year and new laws enacted to lay the foundation for the realization of the vision of 'Viksit Bharat.'

Lauding the government performances, she said amidst a series of global crisis, India has emerged as the fastest-growing economy, consistently maintaining over 7.5% growth rate for two consecutive quarters.

She also appreciated the government effort in conducting the successful G20 and accomplishing targets of developments. She also referred to India launching the fastest 5G rollout and an Indian airline company executing the world's largest aircraft deal.

She also said that the Modi government gave jobs to lakhs of youth in mission mode in 2023. She asserted that the armed forces were giving a befitting reply to terrorism and expansionism. India is now a prominent voice against terrorism in the world.

House disruptors must reflect on their conduct: PM

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

PRIME Minister Narendra Modi on Wednesday asked lawmakers — many of them known for creating commotion in Parliament — to introspect on their conduct. He was addressing the media in the premises of Parliament before the Budget session.

"Over the past 10 years, each member of Parliament has contributed in their own way. However, it is worth reflecting, especially for those MPs who have become accustomed to creating disruptions and habitually undermining democratic values. As they gather for the final session today, they should ponder what they have achieved in the last decade," said the PM.

The PM's remarks came in the backdrop of the suspension of 146 opposition MPs in a single day during the last winter session of Parliament.

"Despite the sharpness of the opposition's voice and severity of criticism, a significant portion of the public still remembers those who enriched the House with constructive ideas," said the PM.

"Individuals who contribute nothing but negativity are seldom remembered," Modi said. "I urge all MPs to act in the best interest of the country."

Modi said President Murmu addressing a joint sitting of lawmakers and finance minister Nirmala Sitharaman presenting the Budget on Thursday is in a way festival of women power. "Traditionally, when elections are imminent, a complete Budget is not presented. We will adhere to the tradition. The finance minister will present her Budget with some guiding points," he said.

China ship poses several dangers to security of Maldives, says ex-envoy

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

CHINESE research vessel Xiang Yang Hong 03, which is said to be close to Maldives Exclusive Economic Zone, has raised concerns over its potential spying.

"The presence of the Chinese spy vessel Xiang Yang Hong 03 with the Maldivian EEZ poses several potential dangers based on its past activities and capabilities. While the Maldivian government has assured that the vessel's visit is purely for replenishment, several concerning factors need to be considered," according to Maldives former Deputy Ambassador to the UAE, Mohamed Faisal.

The Maldivian diplomat stated on social media that the Chinese vessel has a history of spying and intelligence gathering. "The ship has a documented history of conducting oceanographic research in strategic locations of interest to China, which raises concerns about its use for gathering intelligence on underwater infrastructure, submarine movements and communication cables," according to Mohamed Faisal.

The Xiang Yang Hong 03 is said to have sophisticated sonar systems, underwater drones and advanced mapping capabilities, which could be used to map the seabed structure, locate critical infrastructure and create detailed underwater terrain maps.

"Much of the technology on board the vessel has both civilian and military applications, blurring the lines between scientific research and potential military applications," he added.

The former ambassador also highlighted economic and security threats and disruption of critical infrastructure, which includes underwater communication cables. There is concern about the vessel having access to sensitive data that could compromise the archipelago's sovereign interests and create dependence on China. "The threat posed by this ship is alarming, and this vessel must leave Maldives immediately," Faisal said.

Meanwhile, according to media in Maldives, the said ship was to arrive in Male next week but has docked in earlier, which was learnt via satellite images.

NMC operating without full-time chairman for over four months

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

THE National Medical Commission (NMC), responsible for regulating medical education and medical professionals in India, has been operating without a full-time chairperson for the past four months. This situation persists despite the Union Health Ministry inviting applications last year to fill this critical position.

Currently, Dr BN Gangadhar, the former Director of the National Institute of Mental Health and Neurosciences, has been serving as the NMC chairman since September last year. He assumed this role after the first NMC chairman, Dr Suresh Chandra Sharma, completed his tenure in September.

Dr Gangadhar previously held the position of president of the Medical Assessment & Rating Board (MARB) and continues to hold that role. The MARB is responsible for defining the procedure for evaluating and rating medical institutions based on their adherence to established standards, conducting inspections, and granting permission for new medical institutions.

In addition to these critical positions, several other important posts within the NMC remain unfilled.

The NMC currently lacks a full-time president for the Ethics & Medical Registration Board (EMRB). The EMRB's responsibilities include maintaining national registers of all licensed medical practitioners, regulating their professional conduct, and promoting medical ethics in accordance with established rules.

Furthermore, the positions of an ex-officio member and two members remain vacant within the 33-member autonomous body of the NMC.

Dr KV Babu, who filed a Right to Information (RTI) request on this matter, received a response from the Union health ministry, indicating that the "appointment to various vacant positions in the NMC, as advertised, is under process."

Dr Babu pointed out that the Union health ministry had issued an invitation for applications for these vacant posts, including the chairman's position, seven months ago.

Even after seven months of receiving applications, there have been no appointments for the regular NMC chairman and other positions. The ministry has cited ongoing application processing as reason for delay

Dr KV Babu, RTI activist

KEY POSITIONS YET TO BE FILLED

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The ministry established a maximum age limit of 65 years for applicants

Kharge flays President's speech, calls it 'political, and an ad for government'

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

THE Congress on Wednesday criticised President Droupadi Murmu's address in Parliament, calling it a "propaganda tool and a political speech" to endorse the policies of Prime Minister Narendra Modi's government.

Responding to the Presidential address, Congress president Mallikarjun Kharge said it read more like an advertisement for the Modi government. "The President's speech was only about praising Modi and his government. It was a propaganda, an advertisement for the PM and a political speech. The speech did not mention anything about issues like employment and others. This was a document to trap the poor," said Kharge.

"Maybe the President was directed to speak in such a way that she followed in her 1 hour and 20 minutes long speech," the Congress leader said.

Addressing a joint sitting of the two Houses in the new Parliament building on Wednesday, President Murmu spoke on various achievements of the government from economy, building of Ram temple, abrogation of Article 370 and women's reservation bill.

Echoing Kharge's views, Congress leader Shashi Tharoor described the President's address as an election speech and a one-sided narrative.

"They have written an election speech for the President to deliver. They have not talked about the things they have not done. They claimed that they pull people out of poverty but they also talked about giving 81 crore people food grains," said Tharoor. "This is a one-sided narrative that leaves out several important omissions," he said.

Another Congress MP Gaurav Gogoi said that economic and social issues were crushed in the President's speech.

"...Economic and social issues were crushed in the President's speech. I think the way those close to the PM are being benefitted will continue to get benefits with this year's budget," he said.

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Shashi Tharoor, Congress MP

February to be wetter and warmer, says IMD

JITENDRA CHOUBEY @ New Delhi

UNLIKE one of the driest and coldest Januarys since 1901, the Indian Meteorological Department (IMD) is now predicting a wetter and hotter February.

The higher-than-normal temperatures forecasted for February could have an impact on the main rabi crop, wheat. Wheat is particularly sensitive to warmer climates during the flowering stage, as it requires a normal colder environment for the creation and shaping of juice.

In their analysis of January, the IMD declared it the fourth coldest and ninth driest month since 1901. The prolonged fog and lower cloud conditions had reduced the intensity of the cold wave.

Meanwhile, the IMD has forecasted above-normal rainfall for February across the country, with the exception of most parts of south peninsular India. In north India, which consists of seven meteorological sub-divisions, including key wheat-growing regions such as East Uttar Pradesh, West Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Haryana, Chandigarh and Delhi, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu and Kashmir, and Ladakh, rainfall is most likely to be above normal (>122% of the Long Period Average (LPA)).

The IMD has also predicted minimum temperatures above normal for most parts of the country. Similarly, monthly maximum temperatures are expected to be above normal in most parts of Northwest India, West central India, Northeast India, and some parts of East central India.

Due to the higher temperatures, the possibility of cold wave days is lower over central India in February. Additionally, the El Nino conditions prevailing over the Equatorial Pacific are likely to weaken by the end of April, which would boost the monsoon.

The temperatures (20.13 Deg C) and rainfall (7.2 mm) during January 2024 were the ninth lowest since 1901. Rainfall across all of India during January 2024 was approximately 58% below normal. The highest deficit was recorded in the Northwest region, with a 91% deficit, the second lowest since 1901. The recorded rainfall during January was only 3.1 mm. Other regions also experienced rainfall deficits, including East and Northeast (-67%) and Central India (-29%).

Meanwhile, the South peninsula experienced a wetter January, with rainfall recorded as the third highest since 2001.

However, the persistence of fog and low cloud cover over the Indo-Gangetic Plain between December 25, 2023, and January 30, 2024, reduced the cold wave condition, although it led to persistent cold days to severe cold days in many areas. Prolonged fog, an inactive western disturbance, and the absence of north-westerly winds led to the confinement of cold waves in isolated areas, resulting in six reported deaths in Bihar due to the cold wave.

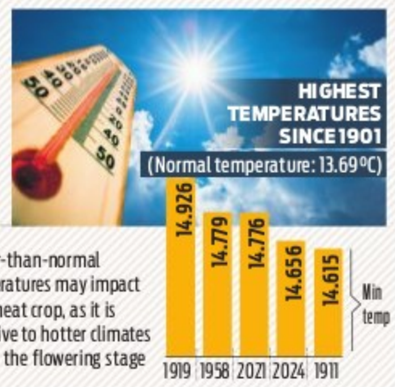
IMD's data also indicates that maximum and minimum temperatures were unusual in January, with minimum temperatures above normal and maximum temperatures below normal on most days.

January 4th coldest month in over 100 years

Prolonged fog or lower cloud conditions have reduced intensity of the cold wave

Wheat-growing northwest region was the second driest region since 1901

Due to higher temperatures, the possibility of cold wave days is lower over central India in February



IMD has predicted wetter as well as hotter February. The rainfall and temperature would be above normal, it said

Higher-than-normal temperatures may impact the wheat crop, as it is sensitive to hotter climates during the flowering stage

Rainfall to be normal in wheat-growing regions

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Shepherds in Ladakh assert grazing rights, stand up against PLA troops

MAYANK SINGH @ New Delhi

A group of shepherds in Ladakh stood up against the Chinese troops who tried to stop them from grazing their sheep close to the Line of Actual Control (LAC) in eastern Ladakh. The video, shared by Chushul councilor Konchok Stanzin, was hailed on social media.

The local shepherds have been grazing their cattle in the area for ages. They had to stop taking the animals out following the 2020 Galwan clash.

The LAC is an undemarcated de facto border between India and China. In these areas, both countries have differing perceptions. Since the standoff, both sides have held multiple meetings at the military and diplomatic levels.

In an X post, the Chushul councillor praised the shepherds' resistance against PLA troops and praised the Indian Army for supporting them. "It is heartening to see the positive impact made by @fireflurycorps_IA in border areas of Eastern Ladakh in facilitating the grazers and nomads to assert their rights in traditional grazing grounds along the north bank of Pangong," he said. "I would like to thank the Indian Army for such strong civil-military relations and looking after the interests of the border population," he said.

Konchok Stanzin also shared a link to the Instagram video of the incident, which, as per the reports, took place earlier this month. "See how our local people are showing their bravery in front of the PLA... I salute our nomads, who always protect our land and stand as the second guardian force of the nation," he wrote.

In the video at least three Chinese armoured vehicles and some soldiers are visible on the spot. The vehicles can be heard blaring an alarm. But the shepherds are seen arguing with the PLA troops and standing their ground insisting that they are grazing on the Indian territory.

As the altercation escalates, some shepherds appear to pick up stones. There are no visuals of any violence. The Chinese soldiers seen in the video were also not armed.

As per the Chushul councillor the shepherds could act bravely against PLA troops because of the support of the Indian forces. "No doubt that our forces are always with civilians resolving the grazing issues with the PLA, it's all due to their support that our nomads could face the PLA," he said.

The situation along the LAC remains "stable but sensitive," Army Chief General Manoj Pande said recently. "In the last one year, we haven't had any more friction. Our talks both at the military and diplomatic levels continue," said Gen Pande.

POLICE TRANSFERS

In a major reshuffle in the Maharashtra police department ahead of Lok Sabha elections, the state home department on Wednesday transferred and promoted several senior officials.

1 HELD WITH METH AT INDIA-MYANMAR BORDER

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	20	10	Mumbai	32	24
Bhopal	23	15	Panaji	08	02
Jaipur	20	09	Patna	21	15
Amritsar	16	04	Lucknow	19	10
Chennai	26	24	Port Blair	34	26
Kolkata	25	15	Imphal	23	05
Srinagar	09	-05	Chandigarh	20	04

Credit war over Bihar caste survey

Nitish says he initiated the caste census move, not Rahul Gandhi; RJD too joins row

RAMASHANKAR @ chennai

IN a bid to project themselves as 'real champion' of Other Backward Classes (OBCs) and Extremely Backward Classes (EBCs), JD(U) and its new political rival, RJD on Wednesday sought to take full credit for the caste survey in Bihar as chief minister Nitish Kumar claimed that the caste count was conducted due to his initiative.

Congress leader Rahul Gandhi on Tuesday claimed that Nitish conducted the caste survey in the state under pressure from him and his party. "It is a useless claim aimed at taking credit for the caste survey. Everyone knows I had taken several initiatives for it," he remarked.

Nitish said a unanimous resolution was passed in the assembly in 2020, seeking the 2021 census as the basis for the caste count. He had also led a 10-member all party-delegation in 2021 to PM Modi. The RJD and Congress were in opposition when he took these initiatives, he added. Nitish also attacked former deputy chief minister and RJD leader accusing him of unnecessarily taking credit for giving jobs to youths as jobs were already being provided through a government scheme. He also called Tejashwi a 'bachcha' (child), unaware how bad the situation was in the state when RJD was in power before 2005.

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Meanwhile, RJD MP Manoj Kumar Jha told the media in Patna that the enumeration was conducted due to RJD leader Tejashwi Yadav. He said the caste-based survey report provided the caste data and the reservation quotas for various castes were increased to 75 % subsequently.

RJD leader said the state government subsequently requested the Centre to incorporate the hiked reservation for deprived castes from 50 to 65 % in state government jobs and educational institutions in the 9th schedule of the Constitution, so that it is guaranteed immunity from legal scrutiny, but Narendra Modi government was not accepting the request due to its 'narrow mindedness'.

Jha said that what initiatives RJD chief Lalu Prasad and Tejashwi took for the caste survey in the state, Congress and DMK took it forward. Now it is being discussed at the national level, he pointed out. "Everybody knows how BJP tried to put stumbling blocks in conducting the caste census in the state," he added. Reacting to claims by RJD-Congress, chief minister Nitish Kumar said, "They are trying to take fake credit for the caste survey in the state."

On Tuesday, Rahul Gandhi during his Bharat Jodo Nyay Yatra in Bihar, broke his silence on Nitish on Tuesday and said that alliance comprising Congress, RJD and Left parties didn't require him.

He said the yatra has taken the responsibility to deliver social justice to the people of the state. He also said that Nitish Kumar existed 'INDIA' bloc due to caste-based survey.

Maha Oppn alliance confirms tie-up on 34 of 48 LS seats

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @ Mumbai

THE Maha Vikas Aghadi (MVA) has finalised 34 Lok Sabha seats, with the remaining seats set to be confirmed shortly. The formal announcement is scheduled for the first week of February.

The MVA alliance partners, which include the Congress, the NCP led by Sharad Pawar, and the Shiv Sena led by Uddhav Thackeray, have come to an agreement on all 48 seats in Maharashtra for the 2024 Lok Sabha elections.

The allocation of the 34 Lok Sabha seats out of the total 48 seats in Maharashtra was resolved during two meetings held in Mumbai.

The third meeting of MVA partners is planned for February 2 to finalise the details, after which the Delhi leadership will give their approval.

The 14 Lok Sabha seats in contention among the MVA alliance partners include Wardha, Ramtek, Bhiwandi, Hingoli, Jalna, Mumbai North West, Mumbai North Central, Mumbai South Central, and Shirdi.

According to a senior Congress leader, the Congress party plans to contest 20 to 22 Lok Sabha seats, while the NCP factions led by Sharad Pawar will vie for six to eight seats, and the Shiv Sena led by Uddhav Thackeray intends to field candidates for 18 to 20 seats in Maharashtra.

A senior NCP leader, who requested anonymity, mentioned, "If Vanchit Bahujan Aghadi leader Prakash Ambedkar joins the Opposition-led INDIA alliance, the Congress party may concede a couple of seats. Shiv Sena (UBT) has expressed willingness to allocate one seat to Swabhimani Shetkari Sangathan, which is the Hatkanangale LS seat."

SRINAGAR DIARY

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Govt renames 33 institutions, roads

The Lt Governor administration in Jammu and Kashmir has ordered renaming of 33 educational institutions including schools and colleges, and roads after the names of 'martyrs and eminent personalities' of the Union Territory. In Anantnag, the Government Degree College Boys was renamed after DySP Himayun Muzamil Bhat, who was killed in an encounter with militants in last year. In Srinagar, Government Boys High School, Narwara has been renamed after Masroor Ali Wani, cop who was killed playing cricket ground last year.

Printing of smart card driving licenses

The Transport Department of Jammu and Kashmir has started centralised printing and dispatch of driving licenses providing much awaited respite to the license card seekers. The printing of approx two lakh driving licenses, which was pending for over one and a half year, has been resumed in collaboration with the Union Ministry of Road Transport with the target to print and dispatch all the pending Driving Licenses within the next two months. A major facelift in the new cards has also been introduced.

Khelo India Winter Games from Feb 21-25

The 4th Khelo India winter games in the world famous ski resort of Gulmarg, which were scheduled to be held on February 2, have now been postponed and will be held from February 21. Due to lack of snow in Gulmarg, the snow games in Gulmarg have been postponed till February 21. Gulmarg will now host the event from February 21-25 instead of February 2-6. The officials said they are hopeful of adequate snow at Gulmarg till February 21 as the MeT department has predicted snow spells in the coming days.

HC refuses to stay mayoral poll results in Chandigarh, issues notices to civic body

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

PUNJAB and Haryana High Court on Wednesday declined to stay the result of the Chandigarh mayoral election that was challenged by the joint candidate of Congress-Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) Kuldeep Kumar.

However, a division bench of Justices Sudhir Singh and Harsh Bunger issued notices to the Union Territory administration, Municipal Corporation and others to file their replies within three weeks. The court then listed the case for hearing on February 26.

Speaking to the media after the hearing, the petitioner's counsel, Gurminder Singh, said the court has given three weeks to the administration, the municipal corporation and others to file their replies. Senior standing counsel Anil Mehta said the court did not provide any interim relief to the petitioner. On Tuesday, Congress-AAP candidate Kumar moved the high court challenging the results of the mayoral elections. He has sought to set aside the process of the poll alleging "complete fraud and forgery".

AP and Congress councillors protest after the result on Tuesday | PTI

He has also sought instructions to restrain the newly elected mayor from discharging his duties. He sought directions from the high court for elections to be held afresh.

"Fresh elections should be held under the supervision of a Retired High Court Judge, and a thorough investigation of the election process be carried out by an independent investigation agency headed by SSP Chandigarh. The entire process of the election, including the ballot papers and video graphics evidence, be sealed, and the newly-elected mayor be restrained from discharging the functions of Mayor as the entire process of election is vitiated by fraud," petitioner said.

300 tourists stuck near Atal tunnel rescued

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

SOME 300 tourist stranded near the South Portal of the Atal Tunnel in Rohtang of Kullu of Himachal Pradesh after heavy snowfall were rescued. After a long dry spell of nearly two months, snow in the hill state and widespread rain in its lower reaches brought cheers to the farmers and hoteliers in the region.

As several places in upper Shimla got first snow of the season, also Lahaul and Spiti, Chamba and Kullu witnessed snow fall. Himachal Pradesh Police rescued 300 tourists stranded near the South Portal (SP) of the Atal tunnel in Rohtang after heavy snowfall on Tuesday evening.

Superintendent of Police of Kullu, Sakshi Verma said that some 300 people were stuck due to the snowfall yesterday evening as they were coming back to Sissu side on north portal of the tunnel as their vehicles could not come down so the police and local administration sent rescue vehicles and people were brought down. District administration officials including DSP and others and team conducted a rescue operation.

Hijab row intensifies: Raj plans dress code in all govt schools

RAJESH ASNANI @ Jaipur

THE hijab controversy in Rajasthan has intensified with major developments emerging two days after BJP MLA Balmukund Acharya stirred controversy by calling for a ban on hijabs at a government school in Jaipur.

State education minister Madan Dilawar has announced plans to strictly implement a dress code for all students in government schools across the state. In addition, a comprehensive inquiry will be conducted into the incident where students protested against the BJP MLA two days ago. Dilawar clarified that not only would the dress code be enforced but any school lacking an image or picture of Saraswati Maa, the Goddess of learning, will face repercussions.

Dilawar issued a statement, stating, "I am neither in favour nor against the hijab, but everyone should adhere to the government's directives." He added that, apart from selected prayers, other forms of prayer would not be taught in schools, and a set of 4-5 prayers will be implemented. Dilawar emphasised that there will be no tolerance for religious conversions in schools, and stringent action will be taken against any such attempts.

The Education Minister also discussed tightening curriculum-related rules, emphasising that teachers must focus on the great figures mentioned in the syllabus. Any deviation from the curriculum will result in appropriate action. Dilawar asserted, "The government is the government, and it knows how to enforce orders."

Minister of State for Home Jawahar Singh Bedham echoed these sentiments, stating, "When we used to study, we would go to school in a uniform. Students should be allowed to come to school only in the prescribed uniform, maintaining discipline. Schools are temples of education, and uniforms instill discipline."

The demand for a dress code in schools received support from the Vishwa Hindu Parishad, which emphasized the importance of discipline and equality among students. The organization stressed that uniforms in schools aim to eliminate social, economic, or religious discrimination based on clothing. The controversy originated on January 29 when Acharya objected to hijab.

Row erupted on Jan 29

- Controversy erupted on January 29 when Balmukund Acharya, the BJP MLA from Hawa Mahal, allegedly objected to girls wearing hijab in government schools
- Some Muslim students gathered at the Subhash Chowk police station in Jaipur
- A student questioned the MLA about his saffron clothes that he wears while going to assembly

CLIMATE CHANGE

Changing weather patterns influence behaviour of U'khand migratory birds

Birds' migration commences in October, and they return to their native habitats by the end of March. This time, a group painted storks has been spotted at Asan Wetland since November

Pradeep Saxena, bird expert with U'khand Forest dept

'Study to decide'

The possible cause of the migratory birds arriving sooner than usual is attributed to the weather, but a comprehensive study would be conducted to understand the reasons behind these frequent changes

NARENDRA SETHI @ Dehradun

THE effects of global warming on weather patterns are becoming increasingly apparent in both human and avian populations. Changes in climate has also exerted a significant influence on the migratory habits of birds. This could account for the early arrival of the painted stork at the Conservation Reserve Asan Wetland in the Dehradun district of Uttarakhand, where it traditionally establishes a temporary habitat.

According to wildlife sources in Dakpathar, thousands of migratory birds, including Painted Stork, travel to Uttarakhand's first Ramsar site, Asan Wetland, from various countries in Europe, as well as Iran, Afghanistan, Russia, Siberia, and the high Himalayan regions of India. This year, the painted stork arrived here earlier than usual. Bird experts attribute this early arrival to the changing weather patterns.

Pradeep Saxena, a forester and bird expert with the Uttarakhand Forest Department, shared the remarkable phenomenon of migratory birds

gathering at the Asan Wetland long before the arrival of the Painted Stork.

Saxena explained, "Thousands of migratory birds from different countries and the high Himalayan regions of India visit Uttarakhand's first Ramsar site, Asan Wetland. Their migration typically commences in October, and they return to their native habitats by the end of March."

Saxena told this newspaper, "This time, a group of 20 to 25 Painted Storks has been spotted at Asan Wetland since November." The Painted Stork is a species of heron found in the plains of India. This bird resides in areas near rivers, lakes, and shallow waters and migrates for some time for changes in weather, food availability, and breeding.

The migration of the Painted Storks has come as a surprise to wildlife expert Dr. Soumya Prasad and veteran wildlife photographer Satpal Singh Gandhi, who boasts 35 years of experience in the field. Gandhi says, "Weather changes may be responsible for this phenomenon, but it is a matter of serious concern."

Gandhi, a wildlife photographer, told this daily, "Previous surveys of the bird population and migration patterns in Asan Wetland revealed that painted storks, Pallas's Fish Eagles, and Rudy Shelducks are regular visitors to the area." As a result of these findings, Asan Wetland was designated as an Important Bird Area in 2005 and is now part of the protected 'Asan Conservation Reserve."

Divisional Forest Officer Mayank Shekhar Jha of Chakrata Forest Division, told, "Painted storks come early. Initially, the possible cause is attributed to the weather, but a comprehensive study will be conducted to understand the reasons behind this."

Prolonged dry weather in Kashmir breaks six-decade record in Srinagar

Snowfall causes temporary disturbances in daily life but in the long run, it is in interest and benefits the people. Less of it will definitely have a bearing on our water supply, electricity and agriculture

Abdul Rashid, retired school teacher

'Last driest Jan in '96'

Meteorological department official says Srinagar recorded only 1.5 mm precipitation in Chilai Kalan this winter. "The last driest January was recorded in 1966. 0.6 mm precipitation was recorded,"

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

JAMMU and Kashmir summer capital Srinagar has recorded the driest Chilai Kalan (40-day harshest winter period) when there are maximum chances of rain and snowfall this winter in the last 60 years.

According to the Meteorological department official, Srinagar recorded only 1.5 mm precipitation during Chilai Kalan this winter. The Chilai Kalan started on December 21 and ends on January 30. "The previous driest January was recorded in 1966, when only 0.6 mm precipitation was recorded," the MeT official said.

This Chilai Kalan, Kashmir witnessed uncharacteristic dry weather. There has been no snow in the plains including Srinagar while the upper reaches including famous tourist resorts of Gulmarg in north Kashmir, Pahalgam in south Kashmir and Sonamarg in central Kashmir have witnessed very little snowfall and that too at the fag end of the Chilai Kalan. No snowfall in plains including Srinagar this time has disappointed the locals.

A retired school teacher Abdul Rashid said the snowfall in

Snowfall occured at Tangmarg only on Wednesday | PTI

'Chilai Kalan' is very important and crucial for the Valley.

"The snow during the 'Chilai Kalan' remains frozen and provides water supply to the water bodies during the summers. The snowfall causes temporary disturbances in daily life but in the long run, it is in interest and benefits the people," he said. Rashid rued that unfortunately there has been very less snowfall in upper reaches while the plains did not experience any snowfall this winter.

"It will definitely have a bearing on our water supply, electricity and agriculture and horticulture produce this year," he said.

Meteorological department Kashmir Mukhtar Ahmed attributed continued dry spell and no active Western Disturbance for the driest Chilai Kalan in Srinagar. "This year feeble Western Disturbances were also very low". He attributed the lengthy dry spell and reduced snowfall to the El-Nino effect, a periodic sequence of climatic changes that impact parts of the Pacific region.

"The El-Nino effect still persists in J&K. Besides, there may also be other factors for the driest January," Mukhtar said.

KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED
(VARAHI HYDRO ELECTRIC PROJECT)
CIN : U85110KA1970SGC001919

No.: KPCL/2023-24/PS/WORK _INDENT1138 Date: 24.01.2024

ABSTRACT BID NOTIFICATION
(Through Karnataka Public Procurement Platform only)

KPCL invited bids in two parts through KPP Portal: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** for the work of **Providing assistance for RLA studies of 115MW BHEL make Generators at Varahi Under Ground Power House, Hosangadi** from regular contractor / agency / firm, who had carried out similar works in any utility in India. Last date for online submission of completed bids: **07.02.2024 up to 16:00 Hrs.** Further details can be had from Office of the **Executive Engineer (Controls & O) Varahi, KPCL, VHEP, Hosangadi - 576282, Kundapur Taluk, Udupi District,** Mobile: **94495 98900 / 94491 20380** or contact Help Desk Nos.: **+91-80460 10000/+91-80689 48777.**

STATE BANK OF INDIA
RACPC, Shankarapuram (64063)
NO. 13/1, 3rd Floor, BULL TEMPLE ROAD, OPP. SRI RAMA KRISHNA ASHRAMA, BASAVANAGUDI, BANGALORE -560 004, Tel: 080 -25943006
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POSSESSION NOTICE Under Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Property)

A/c No. HL 37227159073

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **State Bank of India, RACPC Shankarapuram,** Bengaluru under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **13.11.2023** calling upon the borrower **Sri. Bhupesh Kumar Behera** S/o. Sri Gurumurty Behera to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 40,73,723/-** (Rupees Forty Lakh Seventy Three Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty Three Only) as on 08.11.2023. You are also liable to pay further interest from 09.11.2023 together with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower/mortgager having failed to repay the amount as mentioned in the Demand Notice, notice is hereby given to the borrower/mortgager and the public in general that the undersigned, being the Authorised Officer of the **State Bank of India, RACPC Shankarapuram,** Bengaluru has taken possession of the property of Sri.Bhupesh Kumar Behera S/o Sri.Gurumurty Behera, in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub-section (4) of Section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules 2002, on **29.01.2024.**

The borrower/mortgager in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **State Bank of India** for an amount of **Rs. 39,92,912/-** (Rupees Thirty Nine Lakh Ninety Two Thousand Nine Hundred Twelve Only) as on 22.01.2024 and further interest at contractual rate from 23.01.2024 with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc, thereon.

The borrower's/mortgager's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

SCHEDULE A PROPERTY : All that property available within the four boundaries detailed below and measuring (1) 02 Acres 03 Guntas in Sy No.33/1, (2) 01 Acre 08 Guntas in Sy No.33/2 and (3) 00 Acres 24.06 Guntas and 2 Guntas Kharab in Sy No. 30/8B of Haralur and Kasavanahalli villages, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, duly converted for non-agricultural residential purposes vide Order of The Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore bearing No. B.DS. ALN:SR(EAST).281:2001-02 and No. B.DS.ALN:SR(EAST)282:2001-02 both dated 16/03/2002 and presently bearing Municipal No.89/33/2, 33/1, 30/8B, Haralur Municipal Ward No.150 of Bellandur, Bangalore, in the records of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike and entire property is **bounded by : East by :** Remaining portion of Sy. No.33/2, Harlur village & 30/8B, Kasavanahalli, **West by :** Remaining portion of Sy. No.33/1, Harlur Village, **North by :** Sy. No. 30/8A, Kasavanahalli, belonging to Sri Ningappa Reddy, **South by :** 40 feet Wide Common Road formed by sellers of the flat.

Schedule B Property : 484.38 sq. ft. of undivided share right, title, interest and ownership in the land in Schedule A Property.

Schedule C Property : All that Residential Apartment bearing No.E-804, in Eighth Floor of Block E of the project viz. "BREN EDGEWATERS", built in schedule A property and Apartment measuring 1121 sq. ft. of super built up area, which includes 821 Sq. Feet of Carpet Area, 61 Sq. Feet of Balcony and 239 Sq. Feet of proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies lifts, staircases and other areas of common use, with right to use One Covered Car Parking space in the Lower/Upper Basement Level standing in the name of Mr. Bhupesh Kumar Behera S/o. Mr Gurumurty Behera and the Apartment is **bounded by : East by :** Open towards Open Space in Block-E in Bren Edgewaters, **West by :** Entrance Lobby in 8th Floor of Block- E in Bren Edgewaters, **North by :** Apartment No.E-803 in 8th Floor of Block- E in Bren Edgewaters, **South by :** Apartment No.D-802 in 8th Floor of Block- D in Bren Edgewaters.

Date : 29.01.2024
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer & Chief Manager
State Bank of India,
RACPC Shankarpuram, Bengaluru.

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL – II , CHENNAI
6th Floor, Additional Office Buildings, Shastri Bhavan, Haddows Road, Chennai - 600 006

DEMAND NOTICE U/S 25 TO 28

NOTICE UNDER SECTIONS 25 TO 28 OF THE RECOVERY OF DEBTS DUE TO BANKS AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS ACT, 1993 AND RULE 2 OF SECOND SCHEDULE TO THE INCOME TAX ACT, 1961.

TRC 1422/2022 30/01/2024

TAMILNAD MERCANTILE BANK
Versus
M/s. GVR INFRA PROJECT LTD AND 17 OTHERS

To

1. **M/s. GVR Infra Projects Ltd**
   VBC Solitaire, 9th & 10th Floor, 47 & 49, Bazullah Road, T. Nagar, Chennai - 600 017
2. **Venkateswara Rao Garikapati** S/o Chanchaiah Garikapati, P.No.70, Journalist Colony, Jublee Hills, Hyderabad - 500 033
3. **Kondepati Gangaprasad** S/o K. Surya Rao Kondepati Plot No.13 (Old No.9). Sea Shell Avenue, Panayur, ECR, Chennai - 600 119
4. **Garikapati Pavan Kumar** S/o Venkateswara Rao Garikapati, No.8. Old No.22, 2A Coral Apartments, Raghaviah Road, T. Nagar, Chennai - 600 017
5. **Garikapati Venkata Lakshmi** W/o Garikapti Venkateswara Rao P.No.70, Journalist Colony. Jublee Hills, Hyderabad - 500 033
6. **Kondepati Komali** W/o K. Gangaprasad S/o. K. Surya Rao Kondepati Plot No.13 (Old No.9), Sea Shell Avenue, Panayur, ECR, Chennai - 600 119
7. **Kanneganti Laxmikanta Mohan** S/o Late Madan Mohan, New No. 15, Old No. 6, Crescent Park Street, Venkatanarayana Road, Chennai - 600 0 17
8. **G. Ramesh Babu** S/o. M.G. Venkataswamy, House No.8-2-269 /19/S/D, Flat No.NS-2. Lavakusa Apartments, Road No.2, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad - 500 034
9. **G. Krishnaiah** S/o. M.G. Venkatasamy No.6-2, 1.17, behind ZP Office, Khammam - 507 002
10. **B.D. Praveen** S/o. B.Satyam Flat No.6, Old 62, New No.48, 2nd Floor, VCN Abodi Apartments, Ganapathy Street, West Mambalam, Chennai - 600 033
11. **A. Venkatalakshmi** W/o A. Gopalakrishna A- 101, Sriram Sristi Apartments, SSA Road, Anand Nagar, RT Nagar, Bangalore - 560 032
12. **Tanaki Nanji** S/o T. Ramakrishna, GNT Road, Chilakur Village and Mandal, Nellore District-524 126
13. **Pratima Tanaki** W/o T. Nanji, GNT Road, Chilakur Village and Mandal, Nellore District-524 126
14. **Mrs.Tanaki Vijaya Lakshmi** W/o T. Ramakrishna GNT Road, Chilakur Village and Mandal, Nellore District-524 126
15. **V. Chandraiah** S/o V. Yellaiah Kadaluru Tada, Nellore, Andhra Pradesh.
16. **Baipaneni Kasaiah** S/o Nagaiah Baipaneni No.7-23, Sai Prabhath Nagar, Peddathanada, Khammam (Rural) Gandhichowk Khammam, Telangana
17. **GVR Realities,** No. 6, 43rd Street, Ashok Nagar, Chennai - 600 083
18. **GVR Realities Pvt. Ltd.** Flat No. B1, Vigaya Sree Nihethan, No.8, Giri Road, T.Nagar, Chennai - 600 017.

This is to notify that as per the Recovery Certificate No.237/2018 issued in pursuance of orders passed by the Presiding Officer, DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL - I in **OA/292/2016** an amount of **Rs.37,35,45,315.07 (Rupees Thirty Seven Crore Thirty Five Lakhs Forty Five Thousand Three Hundred and Fifteen & Paise Seven only)** with future interest has become due against you (Jointly and severally) and the said TRC 237/2018 has been transferred to this Hon'ble Debts Recovery Tribunal - II, Chennai on jurisdictional grounds in pursuance of Ministry of Finance. Department of Finance Services Gazette Notification No. S.O. 4717 (E) dated 04-10-2022. **AND the said Recovery Certificate has been renumbered as TRC No. 1422/2022.**

2. You are hereby directed to pay the above sum within 15 days of the receipts of the notice, failing which the recovery shall be made in accordance with the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 and Rules there under.

3. You are hereby ordered to appear before the undersigned on **08/03/2024** 11.30 a.m for further proceedings.

4. In addition to the sum aforesaid you will also be liable to pay:

(a) Such interests as is payable for the period commencing immediately after this notice of the certificate/execution proceedings.

(b) All costs, charges and expenses incurred in respect of the service of this notice and warrants and other processes and all other proceedings taken for recovering the amount due.

5. This demand notice is now published in this newspaper since the demand notice dated on 14.09.2018 sent to some Certificate Debtors been un-served.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal on this the 30th day of January, 2024.

(S. SOFIN ROSE)
RECOVERY OFFICER

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No: RUR/ADM/KKRDB/T17/2023-24/1247
Dt:29.01.2024

TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through E-Procurement System only)

Tender is invited from the reputed Companies/Agencies to "The establishment of Kalyana Karnataka Institute for Human Genome studies at Raichur UniversityYeragera - 584133."The last date for submission of online tender is Date:27/02/2024, 05PM. Tender form, fees, and EMD are as per e-portal only. For more details, download the information from the website: https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in

Note: If any changes (Corrigendum/ addendum) in the tender, will be published in e-tender portal only.

Sd/- Registrar Raichur University, Raichur

DIP/RCR/424/KSMC&A/Job No.421/2023-24

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
O/O THE ADDITIONAL CHIEF ENGINEER, RENGALI RIGHT IRRIGATION CIRCLE, DHENKANAL
Email Id-adicerric@gmail.com

e-Procurement Notice

A-1362: The Additional Chief Engineer, Rengali Right Irrigation Circle, Dhenkanal on behalf of the Governor of Odisha invites on line percentage rate bids in double cover system for construction of the works as detailed below.

1. Name of the work : Construction of RCC Retailing wall in incomplete patches from RD 40565M to 48900M of GBC of Rengali Right Irrigation Project, Dhenkanal.
2. Tender Cost : Rs. 621.32 lakh
3. Bid Document Cost : Rs. 10,000.00 (on line)
4. Bid Security/EMD : Rs. 6,21,400.00
5. Class of contractor : 'A' class & "Special" class
6. Period of completion : 12 (twelve) calendar months including monsoon
7. Other details are as follows.

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No.	Availability of Tender on-line for bidding		Date of Opening of Technical Bid (Cover-I)
		From	To	
Additional Chief Engineer, RRIC, Dhenkanal	ACERRICD-04/ 2023-24	05.02.2024 10.00 AM	17.02.2024 5.30 PM	19.02.2024 11.00 AM

Further details can be seen from the e-procurement portal **https://www.tendersodisha.gov.in.** Any addendum/Corrigendum/ Cancellation to the above notice will be published in the Govt. website **www.tendersodisha.gov.in**

Sd/-
Additional Chief Engineer
Rengali Right Irrigation Circle, Dhenkanal

OIPR-32516/11/0006/2324

इंडियन बैंक Indian Bank इलाहाबाद ALLAHABAD — J P NAGAR BRANCH
No.10, 2nd Cross, Nrupathunga Nagar, 7th Phase, Kothanur Main Road, JP Nagar, Bangalore-560078.

POSSESSION NOTICE
{Rule-8(1)} (for Immovable Property)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Indian Bank** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with rule 8 and 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated 08.11.2023 Calling upon the borrower **1) Mr. Chethan Kumar (Borrower) S/o. Srinivasaiah T,** C/o. 118, K V Nagaraja Reddy, SOS Post, Kothnur, JP Nagar 8th Phase, Bengaluru-560076. **2) Mr. Srinivasiah T (Borrower), S/o. Thimmaiah,** Lingadahalli, Kotta P.O. Sira Taluk, Tumkur District. **3) Mrs. Tarakumari L.S. (Guarantor), W/o. Lakshmi Ranganath,** Maruthi Nilaya, 4th Main, 1st Cross, Gandhinagar, Yelahanka, Bengaluru North-560064. **4) Mrs. Manasa K P (Guarantor), W/o. Chethan Kumar,** C/o. No.118, K V Nagaraja Reddy, SOS Post, Kothnur, J P nagar 8th Phase, Bengaluru-560078 with our **J P Nagar, 7th Phase Bengaluru Branch** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.1,75,123/- (in words Rupees One Lakh Seventy Five thousand one hundred twenty three only)** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with rule 8 and 9 of the said rules on this **30th day of January of the year 2024.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Indian Bank** for an amount of **Rs.1,75,123/-** and interest thereon. We draw attention to the provisions of Section 13(8) of the SARFAESI Act and the Rules framed there under which deals with your rights of redemption over the securities.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that part and parcel of the property bearing: Site No.LIG 985-SCR-A measuring East to West: 12 Meters and North to South: 9 Meters, in total measuring 108.00 Square Meters, situated at Suryanagar 2nd Phase, Bengaluru, formed by the Karnataka Housing Board, and allotted to Mr. T Srinivasaiah. Vide Karnataka Housing Board Registration No. LIG00076332 dated 22.05.2013 and together with all rights, appurtenant whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface, and **bounded as follows:** East: by Road., West: by Private Property, North: by KHB Property Road., South: by Property No.984

Date: 30.01.2024, Place: Bengaluru **Authorised Officer, Indian Bank**

D. DEVARAJ URS TRUCK TERMINALS LIMITED
(A Government of Karnataka Enterprise)
3rd Floor, TTMC 'B' Block, BMTC Complex, K.H. Road, Shanthinagar, Bengaluru - 560027. Phone No: 080-22223753/58

No: DDUTTL/ADM/RFP/2023-24/859 Date: 30-01-2024

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

Request for Proposal with detailed survey and earmarking are solicited in sealed covers from Hoarding / Advertisement Agencies / Direct Customers etc. to put to Hoardings for Advertisements / Display Boards / Signages etc., in vantage points / spaces at DDUTTL Terminals Located below:

1) Yeshwanthpura Truck Terminal	100 Feet Road, Narasimha Layout, Industrial Suburb 2nd Stage, Opp. to Kanteerava Studio, Yeshwanthpura, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560027.
2) Dharwad Truck Terminal	Growth Centre, Belur Industrial Area, Dharwad, Karnataka - 580011.
3) Mysore Truck Terminal	Mysore Nanjungud Ring Road Junction, Bandipalya, Karnataka - 570008.
4) Dandeli Truck Terminal	Sy. No: 3/A/1, Dandeli City, Haliyala Dandeli Road, Opp. to West Coast Paper Mills Ltd., Uttara Kannada District, Karnataka - 581325.
5) Dasanapura Truck Terminal	Dasanapura Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore North, Karnataka - 562162.
6) Hospet Truck Terminal	Amaravathi Village (Opp. RTO Check Post), Hospet Taluk, Vijayanagar District, Karnataka - 583211.
7) Hubballi Truck Terminal	Anchatgeri Village, Hubballi Taluk, Dharwad District, Karnataka - 580024.

The RFP shall reach this office mail id: **dduttl.1980@gmail.com latest by 5.30 PM on 15-02-2024.** No personal interaction will be entertained on this matter.

Sd/- Managing Director
D. Devaraj Urs Truck Terminals Ltd.,

DIPR/CP/3314/Adverto/2023-24

KARNATAKA INDUSTRIAL AREAS DEVELOPMENT BOARD
(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
49, East Wing, 4th & 5th Floor, Khanija Bhavan Race Course Road
Bengaluru – 560 001. Phone No. 080-22265383 website : www.kiadb.in

No. IADB/ENGG/ETND-EP-46/47/587/2023-24 Date:31.01.2024

SHORT TERM NOTICE INVITING TENDER
(Through GOK Karnataka Public Procurement Portal Only)

Item rate Tenders under two cover system are invited as per the Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Act 1999 and Rules 2000 through electronic procurement from eligible Agencies, Individual Firms, Company, Public Sector Undertakings having registration as mentioned below & have got adequate financial resources, suitable construction equipments, technical man power & past experience for the following works as per the schedule given below:

Name of the work: EP-46 (1) Formation of Industrial Layout at Sector-1 in Adinarayanahosahalli, Phase-2 Industrial Area, Doddaballapura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District. (2) Formation of Industrial Layout at Sector-2 in Adinarayanahosahalli,Phase-2 Industrial Area, Doddaballapura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District.

EP-47:Implementation of 45 MLD External Water Supply Scheme to proposed Industrial Node in Dharwad Taluk & District on Total Turnkey Basis.

For EP-46: Last date for submission of bids is: **19.02.2024 upto 04:30 pm**
For EP-47: Last date for submission of bids is: **15.02.2024 upto 04:30 pm**

Applicants May Download Bidding Documents from the Karnataka Public Procurement Portal **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/-
Chief Engineer-1, KIADB Bengaluru

DIPR/CP/3340/Zen/2023-24

यूनियन बैंक Union Bank of India
Asset Recovery Branch, Bangalore North No.635 C (New No.25/2), 1st Main Road, E Block, 2nd Stage, Rajaji Nagar, Dr Rajkumar Road, Bengaluru – 560010. Mail Id : arb.bengalurunorth@unionbankofindia.bank

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for 15 days Sale of immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rule, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the Symbolic Possession which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Union Bank of India (secured Creditor) will be sold on **" As is where is", " As is what is " and " whatever there is"** on the date mentioned below, for recovery of dues as mentioned hereunder to Union bank of India from the below mentioned Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s). The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit are also mentioned hereunder:

Branch : Asset Recovery Branch, Bangalore North : Name and address of the Borrower, Co-Applicant and Guarantor: 1(a) Borrower: M/S Dishaditi Pharma Pvt Ltd No.15,1st Floor, Shri Hari Building, 4th Main Road, Chamarajpet, Bengaluru-560018. **1(b) Director Mr. Sunil R** S/o Ranjanna, House No.22, 7th B Cross, Defence Colony, Near Eshwara Temple, Bengaluru North-560073. **1(c) Director Mr.Prashanth R** S/o Rajan Babu D No.E.79, 1st Main,1st cross, Obbalappa Layout, Papareddypalya, Bengaluru North-560072. **2. Guarantor: Mr.D Rajan Babu** S/o Late Doreswamy No.E.79,1st Main,1st Main Cross, Obbalappa Layout, Papareddypalya, Bengaluru North-560072, Amount due: **Rs. 66,44,677/-** (Rupees Sixty Six Lakh Forty Four Thousand Six Hundred and Seventy Seven Only) as on interest debited till **31.12.2023** + Future interest + Other expenses.

Description Of Property : All that piece & parcel of the residential property bearing site No.6A formed in Sy.No.36/5 of Srigandhadakaval village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk now within the limits of BBMP having BBMP PID No.102/128/36/5/6A situated at 1st Main, 8th Cross, Oballappa Layout, Papareddy Palya, BBMP Ward No.129, Bengaluru measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 20 feet, totally 800 Sq.ft and the building constructed thereon belonging to Mr.D Rajan Babu and bounded on : East by : Property of Srikantaiah's, West by : 25 feet Road, North by : Property No.6, South by: Property No.7 belonging to M.Kumar.

Reserve Price : Rs.58,05,000/- EMD : Rs.5,80,500/- Bid Multiplier : Rs.1,00,000/-
The details of encumbrances, if any known to the Secured Creditor : Nil. However the interested bidders are requested to verify the EC and other relevant documents at their end before bidding for the property/ies in the proposed E-Auction Date of Sale Notice : 25.01.2024
Account bearing Number 800001980050000 A/C Name : Inward RTGS IFSC Code : UBIN0580007
Type of Possession : Symbolic Possession.

Name of the Contact Person & Contact No. Chief Manager - Mr. Moorthi.V, Contact No. 9003223669, Sr. Manager - Ms. Ponni. S Contact No.9789667057

Last date of EMD submission:
On or before the commencement of e-auction
Date & Time of E-auction: 14.02.2024 (Wednesday)
from 11.00 A.M to 5.00 P.M with 10 min unlimited auto extensions

Note: (1) The intending purchaser required to register through https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp
The amount of EMD (10%) should be paid through the Website www.mstcecommerce.com and the balance amount of sale price should be paid through the Account Number mentioned in the Sale Notice. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided as mentioned below banks website and e-auction agent website. Digital Signature is not mandatory.

www.unionbankofindia.co.in	www.mstcecommerce.com.

Date: 25.01.2024
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India.

Bharat Bank
Bharat Co-op. Bank (Mumbai) Ltd
Multi-State Scheduled Bank

No.100, Money Terrace, K H Road, Bangalore - 560 027 Tel No. : 080-2212 7203 / 2212 1066 / 2229 1942

(Demand Notice Under Section 13(2) of SARFAESI Act, 2002

Sir/Madam,

1. Notice is hereby given to the below said borrowers under Section 13(2) of The Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. This notice is published in addition to the notice sent to your last known address by Registered A.D. Post. **2.** At your request, Bharat Co-operative Bank (Mumbai) Ltd., amongst it's branch at K.H.Road, Bangalore Branch has sanctioned to you by way of financial assistance against the mortgage of the property described herein below creating security interest thereon , as per terms & condition mentioned in respective Sanction letter by executing necessary loan documents. **3.** You have failed and neglected to pay the loan amount and therefore the said financial assistance/credit facility have become NPA on **07.11.2023.** Demand Notice dated **20.01.2024** under section 13(2) of The Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 call upon the below borrowers and the said notice was sent to your last known addresses by Registered Post A.D. and the same were returned by the postal authorities with postal shara "Refused' . **4.** Therefore, I hereby through this publication call upon you to discharge your entire liabilities in respect of below mentioned loan account within 60 days from the date of publication of this notice and failing which Bank shall exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub section 4 of section 13 of the aforesaid act and under other applicable provisions of the said Act. **5.** You are also put on notice that in terms of Sub-Section (13) of Section 13, you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed below without obtaining written consent of the said Bank. **6.** The said Bank reserves its right to call upon you to repay the entire liabilities under the said Loan Account that may arise hereafter as well as other contingent liabilities. **7.** This notice is without prejudice to the said Bank's right to initiate such other actions and/or legal proceedings as it deems necessary under any other applicable provisions of Law. You are liable to pay service charges/cost/expenses, if any for actions under the said Act as applicable. **8.** You are free to take inspection of the statement of account maintained by the said Bank and the loan documents executed by you relating to your Loan Account. **9.** The said borrowers in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the said property and any dealings with the said property will be subject to the charge of Bharat Co-operative Bank (Mumbai) Ltd. **10.** For more details you may collect the unserved Demand Notice dated **20.01.2024** from the office of the undersigned. **11.** Please note that the borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Name & Address of the Borrowers	i) Date of Demand Notice & ii) Loan A/c. No. / Outstanding Amount	Description of the Mortgaged property
Principal Borrower: **1. Mr. Saif Ulla Khan,** S/o.Late. Babu Nazeer Khan **Joint/Co-Borrower:** **2) Mrs. Gulab Jan** W/o.Late Babu Nazeer Khan, **3. Mr.Allabakash Sadiq Khan** S/o.Late. Babu Nazeer Khan **All are residing at :** No.147, 3rd Main,6th Cross, Near Triveni Enclave, Islam Pura, Annasandra Palya, Vimanapura HAL Post, Bangalore-560017.	i) 20.01.2024 ii) **Rs.23,50,166.84 as on 08.01.2024 under Housing Loan Account No.002133330000531 together with further interest @ 10.20% per annum + penal interest @ 2% per annum thereon with effect from 09.01.2024**	All that piece and parcel of property bearing Site **No.38** (Eastern Portion), HASB Khata No.1689/42/A-1, New No.692/38/1689/42/A-1 situated at **6th Cross, Islampura, Annasandra Palya, Vibhuthipura Dhakale, Krishnarajapura Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, Earlier Bengaluru South Taluk** formerly under the limits of HASB Area, then come to the limits of Krishnarajapuram CMC, now within the jurisdiction of BBMP Bengaluru Site measuring East to West 15 feet and North to South 40 feet totally measuring **600 Sq.Feet,** together with building constructed thereupon ,and bounded on: **East by : Sri Ameer Sahib's Property** **West by : Western Portion of Site No.38** **North by : Sri Budhan Sab's Property** **South by : Road**

Sd/- **Chief Manager and Authorised Officer**
Bharat Co-operative Bank (Mumbai) Ltd.
No. 100, Money Terrace, K.H. Road (Double Road), Bangalore-560 027
Phone : 080-2229 1942

Place : Bangalore
Date : 01-02-2024

THE HOTEL INDUSTRIALISTS CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.,
Regd. Office: "Sahakara Sourabha", No.234, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Chamarajapet, Bengaluru - 560 018. Phone: 080-26678329, 26612482, 41277283, E-mail: ho@hicbank.com, Website: www.hicbank.com

Tender – cum – Auction Sale Notice

AUCTION SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY UNDER SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002.

Whereas, the Bank has issued notice under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 and in pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (4) of the Act, the Authorised Officer, **The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd, Ganganagar Branch, Bangalore** has taken possession of the mortgaged properties including those more fully described hereunder, and the Bank has decided to sell the below mentioned property under the provisions of the SARFAESI Act read with the relevant rules of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrower	Description of Property and Boundaries & Measurement	Reserve Price and EMD	Balance Outstanding Amount to be paid to Bank	Date & Time of opening tender & place of auction
	DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY				
	(1) M/s. Eco Green Fuels Pvt Ltd Represented by its Director Mrs. Sarita Bantia W/o Julesh Bantia A Company incorporated under companies Act 1956, having its registered office at No.E-4, No.9-B, 2nd Phase, Peenya Industrial Area, Bangalore-560058 **(2) Sri. S Ramesh** S/o S R Subramanyam No.495, 1st Cross, Near Soumyakali Temple, Kalikanagar, Bangalore-560058 **(3) Smt. K H Sudhamani** W/o S Ramesh No.495, 1st Cross, Near Soumyakali Temple, Kalikanagar, Bangalore-560058 **(4) Smt. Deepika R** D/o S Ramesh No.495, 1st Cross, Near Soumyakali Temple, Kalikanagar, Bangalore-560058.	All that piece and parcel of the residentially converted land property bearing Sy. No.14, BBMP Katha No.74/Sy.No.14, measuring 0-15 guntas, situated at Andhra Halli Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Ward No.40, Bangalore. measuring 16335 square feet and bounded as follows: East: Property in Sy. No.14 and Road, West: Property in Sy. No.9, North: Remaining portion of the property bearing Sy. No.14, South: Drainage.	**Rs. 5,22,72,000/- (Rupees Five Crore Twenty Two Lakhs Seventy Two Thousand Only)** **EMD: 10% of the Reserve Price Rs.52,27,200/- (Rupees Fifty Two Lakhs Twenty Seven Thousand Two Hundred Only)**	**Rs. 3,16,92,557/- (Rupees Three Crore Sixteen Lakhs Ninety Two Thousand Five Hundred Fifty Seven Only) as on 30/01/2024**	**05/03/2024 at 11.30 AM** **The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd Chamrajpet Bangalore**

Terms and Conditions of Auction Sale: - 1. The Tender form can be collected from **The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd., "Sahakara Sourabha" No.234, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Chamarajapet, Bengaluru-560018. (ph. 080-41277283)** on all working days during office hours. **2.** The intending bidders should submit their bids in the prescribed tender form in closed cover along with EMD of 10% of the Reserve Price by means of Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order drawn in favour of **The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore-** payable at Bangalore. The Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order shall be drawn after the date of publication of this Tender – cum – Auction Sale Notice. **3.** Tenders not in the prescribed format will not be accepted. The tender along with the EMD shall be submitted at **The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore** latest by **04/03/2024 before 5.00 P M.** Tender without EMD shall be summarily rejected. **4. The property "SHALL NOT"** be sold below the reserve price. 5.In case the bidder is not successful the E M D amount shall be refunded without interest. **6.** The EMD amount shall be liable for forfeiture without prior notice, if the successful bidder fails to adhere to the terms and conditions of the Auction Sale. **7.** The sealed tenders will be opened by the Authorised Officer in the presence of the available / attending bidders at **11.30 AM on 05/03/2024, 8.** After opening the tenders, the intending bidders may be given opportunity at the discretion of the Authorised Officer to have, intense bidding amongst themselves to enhance the offer Price. **9.** The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the Sale Price (inclusive of EMD) immediately after the auction sale, on the same day, in Cash or Demand Draft and the balance of the Sale Price within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale. In case of default by the successful bidder, all the amounts deposited till then shall be forfeited without notice and the property shall be put for re-auction. **10.** The successful bidder shall bear the statutory dues / taxes / charges / property tax / E B charges / water charges / conveyance charges such as stamp duty, registration fee etc. that is required to be paid in order to get the property conveyed in his favour, as per the applicable laws. **11.** The Authorised Officer has absolute right to accept or reject any or all of the tender or/ bid / offer and / or adjourn / postpone / cancel the Auction Sale without assigning any reason, and also to modify an or all terms and conditions of the sale without prior notice. **12.** The sale is subject to confirmation by the Bank. **13.** The property can be inspected by the intending bidder between 10.00 AM and -5.00PM at his expenses at the address mentioned in the Schedule. **14.** The property is put for sale on **"AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION" and "AS IS WHAT IS CONDITION".** The intending bidder shall satisfy himself about the title, ownership, statutory approvals, encumbrances etc. of the property. **(15)** In case of stay of further proceedings by DRT/DRAT/High Court or any other court, the auction may either be deferred or cancelled and persons participating in the sale shall have no right to claim damages, compensation or cost for such postponement or cancellation. **(16)** This is also notice to the (Borrowers /Guarantors / Mortgagors) aforesaid loan about holding of auction sale on above mentioned date if their dues are not repaid in full, other terms and conditions applicable as per the Act.

For further details the intending bidders may contact the Authorised Officer, The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore "Sahakara Sourabha" No.234, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Chamarajapet, Bengaluru-560018, for ascertaining the details of property and also for inspection of property (Contact No.080-41277283) E-Mail: ho@hicbank.com

Date: 31.01.2024
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd.

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villagers killed in attacks by militants in eastern Congo on Wednesday

GLOBAL WEATHER

LR: Light Rain • HR: Heavy Rain • TDS: Thundershower • LC: Light Cloud • SNY: Sunny

Beijing	29	16	SNY	Los Angeles	26	17	LC
Colombo	29	24	LC	Melbourne	25	12	HR
Dhaka	32	27	SNY	Moscow	21	8	HR
Dubai	39	31	SNY	New York	26	16	LC
Houston	31	23	SNY	Singapore	32	27	SNY
Istanbul	29	17	SNY	Toronto	19	11	LC
London	24	13	LC	Washington	27	14	SNY

CHINESE HACKERS WILL RUIN CRITICAL U.S. INFRA: FBI

WASHINGTON

CHINESE government hackers are busily targeting water treatment plants, the electrical grid, transportation systems and other critical infrastructure inside the United States, FBI Director Chris Wray will tell House lawmakers on Wednesday in a fresh warning from Washington about Beijing's global ambitions.

Wray will say that that there's been "far too little public focus" on a cyber threat that affects "every American," as per a copy of prepared remarks that he is to give before the House Select Committee on the Chinese Communist Party.

"China's hackers are positioning on American infrastructure in preparation to wreak havoc and cause real-world harm to American citizens and communities, if or when China decides the time has come to strike," Wray will say.

The comments align with assessments from outside cybersecurity firms including Microsoft, which said in May that state-backed Chinese hackers have been targeting US critical infrastructure and could be laying the technical groundwork for the potential disruption of critical communications between the United States and Asia during future crises. *AP*

IMRAN, WIFE BUSHRA BIBI SENTENCED TO 14 YEARS RI IN TOSHAKHANA CASE

Both of them barred from holding public office for 10 years, fined Rs 787 million each

ISLAMABAD

PAKISTAN'S former prime minister Imran Khan and his wife Bushra Bibi were sentenced on Wednesday to 14 years of rigorous imprisonment each in a corruption case, a day after the beleaguered leader was given a 10-year jail term for leaking state secrets.

The verdict by an accountability court, which comes eight days before the February 8 general elections, has added to the legal woes of the 71-year-old politician's bid to return to power. Imran is already serving a three-year jail term after being convicted of corruption in a separate Toshakhana case on August 5 last year.

Accountability Court Judge Mohammad Bashir conducted the hearing at Rawalpindi's Adiala Jail, where Imran is incarcerated.

In the Toshakhana corruption case, he was accused of retaining expensive state gifts they received during his tenure as Pakistan's premier from 2018-2022.

Imran and his wife were also barred from holding any public office for 10 years and slapped with a fine of Rs 787 million each. Bushra Bibi, 49, did not appear before the court on Wednesday.

Reacting to the verdict, Imran's party, the Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaaf (PTI) current chief Gohar Khan said the judgment only served to lower the respect of the judiciary.

"The accused were not given time and the process was hurried to conclude the trial," he said, adding that the defence was not given the right of cross-examination.

"Complete destruction of every existing law in Pakistan in two days. Imran Khan and Bushra Bibi have faced yet another kangaroo trial in which no right to defence was given to both. Like cipher, this case has no basis to stand in any Higher court. It's shameful how a complete disregard and mockery of law is in place," PTI said in a post on X.

Separately, the PTI in a statement said that these decisions, reached in haste, and cannot impact the fervour, any PTI supporter talks of, around election time. It alleged that the star witness was changed and a witness who's a part-time worker did an evaluation of gifts by showing photos, while no cross-questioning was allowed, no final argument concluded and decision popped up like a predetermined process in play.

"This ridiculous decision will also be challenged," the party announced.

Imran's sister Aleema Khan said that the 'judicial system has buried itself' today. *PTI*

File photo of Imran Khan and Bushra Bibi talking to the media before signing documents to submit surety bonds over his bail in different cases in Lahore | AP

Duped by court while sentencing: Imran

Imran Khan on Wednesday accused the Accountability Court of deceiving him by calling him for the hearing in the Toshakhana case to only mark attendance. At the outset of the hearing, Judge Bashir asked Imran if he recorded his statement. To this, he said that he would submit his statement once his lawyers came. "Why are you in a hurry?...," Imran said. He was then told to submit his statement immediately and "not waste court's time." I have been deceived as I was only called to mark my attendance for the hearing," Imran said.

Verdict reserved in Imran's marriage case

A Pakistani high court on Wednesday reserved its verdict on a petition seeking the dismissal of a case challenging the 'un-Islamic' marriage of Imran Khan to his third wife, Bushra Bibi. The Islamabad High Court (IHC) Chief Justice Aamer Farooq heard the case filed by Bibi's ex-husband, Khawar Maneka, in November last year, *The Express Tribune* reported. During the hearing on Wednesday, PTI party lawyer Salman Akram Raja said that the case was only aimed at humiliating the petitioners.

US judge voids Elon Musk's $56 bn Tesla compensation

DOVER

A judge in the US state of Delaware voided the $56 billion compensation package of Tesla chief executive Elon Musk on Tuesday, siding with a shareholder who claimed the entrepreneur was overpaid.

The judge in Delaware Chancery Court ruled that the plaintiff, a Tesla shareholder named Richard Tornetta, was "entitled to rescission," approving the annulment of Musk's 2018 humongous compensation agreement worth as much as $55.8 billion.

Judge Kathaleen McCormick added that the parties must now "confer" and then submit a joint letter "identifying all issues, including fees, that need to be addressed to bring this matter to a conclusion at the trial level."

The electric vehicle maker's share price fell more than 3% in after-hours trading following the publication of the ruling.

In a message posted to X, shortly after the decision was announced, Musk wrote, "Never incorporate your company in the state of Delaware."

A lawyer for Musk did not immediately respond.

"We are enormously grateful for the court's thorough and extraordinarily well-reasoned decision in turning back the Tesla board's absurdly outsized pay package for Musk," Greg Varallo, who represented the shareholders, told *AFP*. "The court's hard work will redound directly to the benefit of Tesla investors, who will see the dilution from this gargantuan pay package erased," he added. *AFP*

Decision taken on response to killing of 3 troops: Biden

WASHINGTON

PRESIDENT Joe Biden on Tuesday indicated he had decided how to respond after the killing of three American service members on Sunday in a drone attack in Jordan that his administration has pinned on Iran-backed militia groups, saying he does not want to expand the war in the Middle East but demurring on specifics.

"I don't think we need a wider war in the Middle East," Biden said. "That's not what I'm looking for."

It was not immediately clear whether Biden meant he had decided on a specific retaliatory plan. A US official told *AP* that the Pentagon is still assessing options to respond to the attack in Jordan.

National Security Council spokesman John Kirby told reporters that he would not preview the US response, but indicated it would come in phases.

"It's very possible that what you'll see is a tiered approach here, not just a single action, but potentially multiple actions over a period of time," he said.

The Pentagon identified those killed in the attack as Sgt. William Jerome Rivers, 46, of Carrollton, Georgia; Spc. Kennedy Ladon Sanders, 24, of Waycross, Georgia; and Spc. Breonna Alexsondria Moffett, 23, of Savannah, Georgia. The Army Reserve announced on Tuesday that it had posthumously promoted Sanders and Moffett to rank of sergeant.

Meanwhile, Iran threatened on Wednesday to "decisively respond" to any US attack on the Islamic Republic following Biden's linking of Tehran to the killing of three US soldiers.

The Iranian warnings first came from Amir Saeid Iravani, Iran's ambassador to the UN in New York. He gave a briefing to Iranian journalists late Tuesday, *IRNA* reported.

"The Islamic Republic would decisively respond to any attack on the county, its interests and nationals under any pretexts," *IRNA* quoted Iravani as saying. He described any possible Iranian retaliation as a "strong response," without elaborating. The Iranian mission to the UN did not respond to requests for elaboration Wednesday on Iravani's remarks. *AP*

Joe Biden, US President | AP

EXPRESS READ

Judge voids Musk's $56 bn Tesla compensation

Dover: Elon Musk is not entitled to a landmark compensation package awarded by Tesla's board of directors that is potentially worth more than $55 billion, a Delaware judge ruled on Tuesday. The judge in Delaware Chancery Court ruled that the plaintiff, a Tesla shareholder named Richard Tornetta, was "entitled to rescission," approving the annulment of Musk's 2018 compensation agreement worth $55.8 billion. Judge Kathaleen McCormick said the parties must now "confer" and then submit a joint letter "identifying all issues, including fees, that need to be addressed to bring this matter to a conclusion at the trial level."

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is bring to the notice of general public that my client Smt. Yashodha Siddaraju Aged about 75 years, W/o. Late. Siddaraju Residing at No. 651, 68th Cross, 1st Stage, Kumaraswamy Layout, Bangalore- 560 078 has lost the Original Allotment Letter issued by the Bangalore Development Authority in favor of the Original Allottee Sri. Ramachandra Setty S/o. Sri. P. Pundalika Setty in respect of the property bearing Site No. 651, situated at Kumaraswamy Layout 1st Stage Extension, Bangalore Measuring East to West: 25'-0 feet, and North to South: 40'-6" feet, and bounded on the: **East by:** Site No. 650, **West by:** Site No. 652, **North by :** Site No. 660, **South by :** Road.

A compliant regarding the loss of the above said Allotment Letter has also been lodged in the concerned Jurisdictional Police Authority on 30-01-2024, Vide Lost Report No. 0909670/2024 Serial No. 909670

The finder of the above said document may return the same to the undersigned Advocate immediately. Any one misusing the above said document will be liable for Criminal Prosecution the acts, deeds and things done by him/her will be invalid.

T. Raghavendra Rao, Advocate
No. 27, Sri Banashankari Nilaya, 3rd Cross R.K. Colony, J.P. Nagar, 2nd Phase Bangalore - 560 078: Date: 30-01-2024.

PUBLIC NOTICE

General Public are hereby informed that, our client has proposed to purchase the Schedule property from its present owner **SRI.VASANTH B. PIRGAL** Person/s, Financial Institution/s, Bank objecting for the proposed purchase or having any right, share, title and interest in the Schedule property may lodge their objections/claims with the undersigned along with supporting documentary evidence within **3 weeks** from this day of publication and any objection/claims received thereafter will not be binding on our client and our client will proceed to purchase the below mentioned Schedule property as if there are no claims/objections.

-:SCHEDULE PROPERTY:-

The three bedroom Flat bearing **No.F2-B,** having super built up area of **3300 Sq.Ft.** located on the First Floor of the building constructed on 20% (i.e., 2352 Sq.Ft.) of undivided share, right, title and interest in the property bearing Municipal No.39/4 (old No.25, then Municipal No.33/39 and 39/1, then 39) PID No.49-58-39/4, measuring East to West 105 Ft. and North to South 112 Ft., totally measuring 11760 Sq.Ft., situated at **3rd Cross, Govindappa Road, Basavangudi, Bangalore,** together with one covered car parking slot and flat is bounded on :

East by: Guest Unit, West by: Flat No.F3-C belongs to Shri.Suman P. Pirgal, North by: Common staircase, South by: open space.

V.S.Rai & Associates, LAW FIRM
No.23,"Venkatadri" 6th Main,
5th Cross, S.R.Nagar, Bangalore-27.
Mob:98441 55041, 9620579310

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform general public that my clients are intending to purchase the schedule property from its owners i) Smt.Subbalakshmi S, wife of Late H K Chandrashekar, ii) Sri.H C Arun Kumar, son of Late H K Chandrashekar and iii) Smt.Megha R, daughter of Late H K Chandrashekar, , residents of No:580/60, Krishna Kamala Enclave, Uttarahalli, Bangalore – 560 061;

It is informed to my client that the Original Release Deed dt:19-09-2002 executed by Sri.H K Nagaraj, in favour Sri.H K Chandrashekar and Sri.H K Bhaskar, registered as document No:2959/2002-03, Book I, stored in CD No:22 and registered in the office of the Sub Registrar, Basavanagudi, Bangalore, has been misplaced and in this regard a complaint has been registered with Hanumanthanagar Police, Bangalore on 15-03-2018 and obtained acknowledgement vide GSC No:PO1366180600131, for having registered the complaint and further a Public Notice has been published on 17-03-2018 in local news papers Deccan Chronicle and Samyuktha Karnataka, in this regard;

It is further informed that the above Vendors have requested my Client to remit the entire sale consideration to the IndusInd Bank Ltd., Basavanagudi, Bangalore, towards the full and final settlement of the loan account (NPA) of the Vendors. Any, person, having any objections / claims on the schedule property or the above missing documents and/or any objections in any manner whatsoever to the sale transaction, may lodge their objections or claims, in writing with all supporting documentary evidence by registered post with regard to such lawful claim with the undersigned within **05 (five) days** hereof, failing which my clients will proceed to complete the registration formalities. Any claims lodged thereafter will not be entertained by my clients;

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of property bearing Municipal No:36 (old No:96/14-15), situated at First Cross, Thyagarajanagar, Bangalore, Corporation Ward No:154 (old Ward No:51), PID No:51-38-36, together with structures standing thereon and bounded on the :

East by : Property bearing No:35;
West by : Property bearing No:37;
North by : Road;
South by : Property bearing No:98/1;
MEASURING East to West : 30ft.;
North to South : 44ft.;
In all ad-measuring 1,320 Sq.Ft.;

Akki Manjunath Gowda K
LEGALKRAFT PARTNERS
Advocates & Legal Consultants
No:5/1/2, Fourth Shop Lane, Tata Silk Farm, Basavanagudi, BANGALORE – 560 004
Ph:9880003551 Dt:31-01-2024

BEFORE THE KARNATAKA STATE CONSUMER DISPUTES REDRESSAL COMMISSION BASAVA BHAVAN, HIGH GROUNDS BANGALORE-560001
Under the Consumer Protection Act, 1986
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IN
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Sri. C. Ramesh S/o A.R. Chandrashekar Reddy,
...Petitioner/Complainant/Appellant
Versus
Mr. Shaila Prasad W/o Mr. Braj Kishore Prasad
...Opposite Party / Respondent(s)

To
Opposite Party / Respondent Name:
1 . M/s Kristal Projects India Ltd., Represented by its Managing Director, Having its office at No.1, 4th Cross, 29th Main, BTM 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560076.

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Take notice that in case of default of your appearance on the day mentioned above Review application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under the hand and seal of this Commission on this 4th January, 2024.

By order of the Commission,
Advocate for Appellant:
Sd/-
ASST.REGISTRAR- CUM-ASST.ADMN. OFFICER K.S.C.D.R, BANGALORE-560001.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that **Mr. Bhaskar Venkata Cholasamudram,** son of Mr. C. G. Venkata Reddy, Residing at No. 48, 2nd Cross, AECS Layout, 3rd Phase, Near RMV Club. Nagashettyhalli, Bengaluru-560094 is the sole and absolute owner in vacant and peaceful possession of Residential Site bearing No.60, situated at SBI Supervising Staff Colony, Basaveshwaranagar, Bengaluru-560 079, presently within the BBMP Ward No. No.101 formed in Sy Nos. 78/1, 76/2, 83/1 & 83/2 of Saneguruvanahalli Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, in all measuring 2,340 Square Feet.

Mr. Bhaskar Venkata Cholasamudram, son of Mr. C. G. Venkata Reddy represents that he has misplaced/lost the Original registered Sale Deed dated 19th November 1984, registered as document No. 2978 of 1984-85, in Book-I, Volume No. 3817, at Page Nos. 25-26, registered in the office of the Sub Registrar, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore In this regard, Mr. Bhaskar Venkata Cholasamudram, lodged a Police Complaint on 20th January 2024, vide Lost Report Reference No. 0896952 of 2024 with Crime Branch, Bengaluru City Police, Bangalore.

The General Public is hereby notified that any transaction/s without the notice of Mr. Bhaskar Venkata Cholasamudram, in respect of the aforesaid site is void ab initio and not maintainable. Under the aforesaid circumstances, Mr. Bhaskar Venkata Cholasamudram hereby is considering the Certified copy bearing No. 24242/22-23 of the Sale Deed dated 19th November 1984, issued by Sub-Registrar, Peenya, Bangalore, shall be treated as 'ORIGINAL' with respect to the aforesaid misplaced/ lost Original Sale Deed pertaining to the aforestated site.

Further any person/s attempting to create any kind of encumbrances with respect to the aforesaid site, relying on the aforesaid Original Sale Deed are liable to be punished under law and if anybody found the Original Sale Deed, kindly return it to undersigned and also hereby call upon that if any person/s or Bank/s or Financial Institution/s have any claim/s, rights, interest or whatsoever in respect of aforesaid site, they may contact with documentary proof within ten (10) days from the date of publication.

Mr. Bhaskar Venkata Cholasamudram
Residing at No.48, 2nd Cross,
AECS Layout, 3rd Phase, Near RMV Club
Nagashettyhalli, Bengaluru - 560094
Mobile No: +91 81055 49549
Date : 29-01-2024.

PARADIP PORT AUTHORITY
e-TENDER CALL NOTICE
No.-EM/WSD-II/Sweeping Machine/02/2023/ Date: 29.01.2024
e-TCN No. EM/WS- /2024

Name of the work "Hiring of 01 no. of Truck Mounted Conveyorised Mechanical Road Sweeping Machine for a period of (03+02)years". Estimated cost: **Rs.6,61,00,020/-** excluding GST and cost of Diesel. Last date & time of submission of bid: **dt. 19.02.2024 up to 18:00 Hrs.**

Refer our website for details https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app.

Sd/- Executive Engineer (M)
Workshop Division-II
Paradip Port Authority
PPA/PR/81/2023-2024 dtd.31.01.2024

EAST COAST RAILWAY

E-Tender Notice No. SNTPBBS-022024-JKPRGTA

NAME OF WORK : PROVISION OF AUTOMATIC BLOCK SIGNALLING SYSTEM WITH DUAL MSDAC AND ALTERATION IN EXISTING EI/PI/RRI STATIONS IN THE SECTION OF JAKHAPURA-NERGUNDI, KHURDA ROAD-BHUSUNDPUR & BHUSUNDPUR-GOLANTHRA OVER KHURDA ROAD DIVISION OF EAST COAST RAILWAY.

Approximate Advertised Value (₹) : 180,07,61,541.02, EMD (₹) : 91,53,800/-, Completion Period of the Work : 24 Months.

Tender Closing Date & Time : At 1100 Hrs. of 19.02.2024

No manual offers sent by Post / Courier / Fax or in person shall be accepted against such e-tenders even if these are submitted on firm's letter head and received in time. All such manual offers shall be considered invalid and shall be rejected summarily without any consideration.

Complete information including e-tender documents of the above e-tender is available in website :**http://www.ireps.gov.in**

Note : The prospective tenderers are advised to revisit the website 15 (Fifteen) days before the date of closing of tender to note any changes / corrigenda issued for this tender.

Chief Signal & Telecom Engineer (P), Bhubaneswar
PR-113/CG/23-24

PUBLIC NOTICE

My Client, **Sri. DEVAPATHNI JANARDANAM,** No.5-2-83, Plot No.55, Meerpet, Near Ever Ready Battery Company, Thirumala Nagar colony, Moula Ali RR Dist., Hyderabad- 500 040, intends to purchase the Schedule Property herein, from its owner SMT. BABY KOVI and SMT. DHAMINI KISHORE, No.8, M. K. Pride, Door No.401, 4th Floor, 2nd Cross, HMS Layout, Arehalli, Uttarahalli, Bangalore- 560061 and to create mortgage in favour of REPCO HOME FINANCE LIMITED, Electronic City Branch, Bangalore, as security for the loan to be availed by him to purchase the Schedule Property. If anybody has any claims, rights, title, interest or any objection in the Schedule Property, may be sent to my following address within 7 days from today.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Site Nos.41 and 42, situated at Uttarahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, presently comes within the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Uttarahalli Ward No.184, bearing BBMP Khatha No.16/1, present No.963/16/1/41 & 42, measuring East to West : 45-0 Feet and North to South : 60-0 Feet, totally measuring 2700 Sq. Feet, together with Stilt Floor parking, 24.5 Square Feet in Ground Floor, 24.5 Squares in First Floor, 24.5 Squares in Second Floor, 24.5 Squares in Third Floor and 24.5 Squares in Fourth Floor, and terrace floor, with vitrified tiles flooring, cement and brick walls, good quality wood doors and windows with all civic amenities, like Electricity, water and sanitary facilities,and bounded onas follows. **East:** Road, **West:** Site No.59 and 60, **North:** Site No.40, **South:**Site No.43.

B. SUBRAYA KHARVI, Advocate
No: 231, 11th Main, 37th cross, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore

Oushadhi
The Pharmaceutical Corporation (I.M.) Kerala Ltd.
(A Govt. of Kerala Undertaking)
Kuttanellur, Thrissur-14, Kerala
Ph: 0487- 2459841, 2459807.
E-mail : purchase@oushadhi.org
P/146/2023-24 Date: 1.2.2024

E-TENDER NOTICE

E-Tenders are invited for the supply of **I) Raw Materials and II) Containers & Packing Materials** for the period **1st April 2024 to 30th September 2024**. Tenders can be downloaded from the website **www.etenders.kerala.gov.in**. For more details, please visit our website **www.oushadhi.org** or contact our Purchase Division at Kuttanellur.

Thrissur (Sd/-) Managing Director

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client – **Sri. P. S. BALA SUBBA SETTY** S/o. Late Sankar Setty P., wishes to purchase the below-mentioned immovable property:

All that piece and parcel of the Sites bearing No.1, No.2 and No.3, having BBMP Khata No. No.5507/1/1407/206/1 & 206/3/1, No.5508/1407/206/1 & 206/3/2 and No.5510/1407/206/1 & 206/3/3 respectively, formed on converted land bearing Sy.No.206/3 (Old No.206/1) measuring 13 guntas, situated at Halagevaderahalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru, now coming under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike and BBMP Katha No.5507/1/1407/206/1 & 206/3, Ward No.160 Rajarajeshwari Nagar [This property has been converted from non-agricultural, Educational Institutions (School/College) - Public and Semi Public Uses to non-agricultural Residential Uses vide Official Memorandum of Conversion dated 15/04/2023 bearing No. ALN(SKH-4)/SR:11/22-23, issued by Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bengaluru], and bounded on:

East by	:	Road & Land in Sy. No.206/1;
West by	:	Land in Sy. No.276;
North by	:	Land in Sy. No.276;
South by	:	Land in Sy. No.206/1 & 2.

If anyone has any objection or any transaction in this regard with the seller in respect of the above-mentioned properties, they may file their objections within 15 days with documentary evidence to the undersigned. If no objections are received within 15 days my client would be proceeding to get the said properties registered in their name and complete the sale. Any objections received after 15 days will not be considered.

Amogh Masur, Advocate
Sai Sadan, No.65/2, Railway Parallel Road Kumara Park West, Bangalore-560020.
(+91)9886767841, (+91) 77600 89845, (+91) 96635 55515, (+91) 9886648438.

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केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
सिंडिकेट Syndicate
BENGALURU

E-AUCTION NOTICE

SALE NOTICE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES THROUGH E-AUCTION (ONLINE AUCTION) UNDER RULES 8(6) & (9) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002

Notice is hereby given to the effect that the immovable properties described herein, taken possession under the provisions of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, will be sold by inviting tenders on the following terms & conditions. E auction arranged by the service provider **M/s. Antares Systems Ltd.** through the website **https://www.bankeauctionwizard.com**

Sl. No.	1)Name of the Borrower / Guarantor(s) 2)Name of the Branch and Secured Creditor	1) Secured Debt outstanding 2) Reserve Price 3) Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Amount	1) Last date of deposit of EMD 2) Last date of KYC documents 3) EMD A/c no. 4) IFSC code 5) Bid Factor	1. Date of Auction 2. Time of Auction 3. Date & Time of Inspection
1	**1) BORROWER (S) : 1. M/S SOHAM BIO-MED** No 16/4, Garla Enclave, 2nd Floor, West Circle Road V V Puram, Bengaluru-560004. **2. Mr. N Janardhana Naidu (Proprietor), S/o Late N Ramanjula Naidu 3. Mrs. Geetha Janardhan (Guarantor), W/o N Janardhana Naidu, Both are at :** No 78, Canara Bank Colony, Ist Main, Ist Cross, Chikkalasandra, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560061. **2) Canara Bank - Townhall Branch Ph No. 080-22238308, Mob No. 8095990558**	**1) Rs.1,24,79,025.70** plus further interest & charges **2) Mentioned each property below.**	1) 27.02.2024 upto 5.00 pm 2) 28.02.2024 upto 5.00 pm 3) 209272434 4) CNRB0000413 5) Rs. 1,00,000/-	1. 29.02.2024 2. 11.00 am to 12.00 Noon 3. 19.02.2024 10.00 am to 2.00 pm

Description of the immovable/ movable assets: 1. All that part and parcel of Residential Flat bearing No 3, bearing Municipal number 16/4, Situated on the rear side of the 1st Floor of the apartment building **"GARLA ENCLAVE-1"**, Constructed on the property bearing Municipal No 16(Old No 16 & 17) Situated at West Circle Road, V V Puram, Bangalore-560004 and bounded by : **East by** – Sajjan Rao Choultry, **West by** – Property bearing No 18 &19, **North by** – Conservancy Lane and **South by** – West circle Road. Super Built up area 950 Sqft together with 1/6th undivided share & 1 car Parking Slot in the Stilt floor of the Building.

A) RESERVE PRICE - Rs. 80,84,000.00 B) EMD - Rs. 8,09,000.00

2. All the piece and parcel of Property bearing Site no 41 earlier CMC Khatha No 57/1, Present BBMP No 611/41, Situated at Chikkallasandra Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South taluk, Now under the limits of BBMP, Bangalore and bounded by : **East by** – Property No 42, **West by** – Property No 40, **North by** – 25 feet road and **South by** – Private property. Measuring East to West 40 Sqft and North to South 36 Sqft

A) RESERVE PRICE - Rs. 2,44,65,000.00 B) EMD - Rs. 24,47,000.00

For all details contact at Regional Office, MG Road, Bangalore. Contact Numbers - 1) 90109 49899, 2) 8095990558

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please logon to our website **www.canarabank.com** under "E-Auction" or contact the branch.

Place: Bangalore,
Date : 31.01.2024

Authorized Officer, Canara Bank

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER
RURAL WORKS CIRCLE, BALASORE
No. 376 /WE Dt. 25.01.2024

O-2342

"e" Procurement Notice

1. Name of the work :- "Building Works."
2. Estimated Cost :- As per Annexure.
3. Time for completion :- As per Annexure.
4. No of Work :- As per Annexure.
5. Summary for key dates is provided below:-

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No.	Availability of tender On-line for bidding		Last Date & Time of seeking Tender Clarification.	Date & Time of Opening of Tender	
		From	To		Technical Bid	Financial Bid
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Balasore	N.C.B. No. 71 of 2023-24	Dt.01.02.2024 at 11.00 A.M.	Dt. 12.02.2024 up to 5.00 P.M.	Dt.12.02.2024 up to 1.00 P.M.	Dt.13.02.2024 at 11.00 A.M.	Will be intimated later.

Further details can be seen from the website: **www.tendersodisha.gov.in**
Any other changes/Corrigendums may be seen only in website **www.tendersodisha.gov.in**

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Balasore OIPR- 25105/11/0093/2324

Market Watch

612.21	MARKET		GOLD		SILVER		FOREX
▲ Sensex	71,752.11	24 carat (10 gm)	₹63,420	1 kg	₹76,500	▼ Dollar	83.04
203.60	▲ Nifty	21,725.70	22 carat (10 gm)	₹58,150	10 gm	₹765	▼ Euro	90.06

RBI cracks the whip on Paytm Bank

Bars from accepting deposits, credit transactions, top-ups in user accounts after Feb 29

UMA KANNAN @Bengaluru

THE Reserve Bank of India (RBI) on Wednesday barred Paytm Payments Bank from accepting deposits, credit transactions and top ups in any customer account after February 29.

This comes as a big setback for the bank as the central bank cited persistent non-compliances and continued material supervisory concerns in the bank, warranting further supervisory action.

Earlier in March 2022, RBI directed Paytm Payments Bank to stop onboarding of new customers with immediate effect and it still maintains the curb. Patym holds 49% in the payments bank and founder Vijay Shekhar Sharma holds the rest (51%).

However, customers can withdraw or utilise balances from their accounts including savings bank accounts, current accounts, prepaid instruments, FASTags, National Common Mobility Cards, etc.

The RBI further said, "The Nodal Accounts of One97 Communications Ltd and Paytm Payments Services Ltd are to be terminated at the earliest, in any case not later than February 29, 2024." Brokerage Bernstein in a note said, "For all practical purposes, the notifications (RBI) end operations of Paytm Payments Bank. This is a definite negative development and adds to the already heavy regulatory overhang on the business."

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Reserve Bank of India

It expects no immediate impact to its UPI payment business as it accounts for 70% of GMV. Milan Sharma, Founder and MD, 35North Ventures, VC firm, said customers are not negatively impacted at this time, and they can still freely operate their accounts for the unrestricted features.

"Despite not being able to provide lending and credit services, payments banks have been successful in creating widely accessible financial services for a more inclusive economy. Yet, they are in the early adoption stages, so stiffening of regulations around customer KYC, data outflows in foreign payments, and deposit limits can be expected," he said.

In October last year, the RBI fined the bank with Rs 5.39 crore penalty for non-compliance with certain provisions of the RBI (KYC) Directions, 2016. Gaurav Goel, Founder - Director, Fynocrat Technologies said the RBI's move primarily targets Paytm's banking operations, allowing customers to still utilize Paytm for digital payments as long as their account remains connected to an external bank.

"This development is also expected to influence the short to medium-term stock price of Paytm (One 97 Communication)," he added.

Govt cuts import duty on mobile components to 10%

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @New Delhi

IN a move that can make mobile manufacturing cheaper in India, the government on Wednesday announced a reduction in import duty on certain mobile components from 15% to 10%.

According to the gadget notification, the government has slashed import duty on components such as the battery cover, main cover, GSM antenna, and others components to 10%. The government believes the move will accelerate electronics manufacturing in the country and subsequently will lead to export smartphone from the country. "This rationalisation of custom duties brings much needed certainty and clarity for the industry and in customs processes. I thank Prime Minister Narendra Modi and finance minister Nirmala Sitharaman for this step towards strengthening the mobile phone manufacturing ecosystem," said telecom minister Ashwini Vaishnaw.

The government had earlier raised the BCD (basic Customs duty) from 5% to 15% on these items in 2018 under the Phased Manufacturing Programme (PMP). The move is in line with the recommendation of the Indian Cellular and Electronics Association (ICEA), which suggested duty cuts to reduce the cost of making smartphones in India. According to the ICEA, mobile phone exports from India could triple to $39 billion over the next two years, from $11 billion in FY23, if the government reduces import tariffs on components.

"This is a critical and welcome policy intervention by the government towards making mobile manufacturing competitive in India. Building scale and riding on low input tariffs are key to transforming India into a global hub for electronics manufacturing and exports," said Pankaj Mohindroo, Chairman of ICEA.

"Electronics have improved from the 9th position a few years ago to India's 5th largest export in 2024. Mobiles constitute over 52% of electronics exports, thanks to the PLI Scheme. This is the first industry to leapfrog from import substitution to export-led growth within the last 8 years. The government has been an excellent and willing partner in this transformation," added Mohindroo. However, the Global Trade Research Initiative (GTRI) advised against cutting import duties on electronics components in the upcoming budget.

PINKSLIP

Wipro plans to cut hundreds of mid-level onsite job roles

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @New Delhi

Wipro is reportedly planning to cut hundreds of mid-level roles at its onsite locations.

This is mainly to enhance its margins. In Q3FY24, for the fourth consecutive quarter, the company reported a fall in its consolidated net profit at ₹2,694 crore. The firm's IT services operating margin in stood at 16.0%, down 11 bps sequentially. Reports suggest the intimations were sent to employees early this month and that the company's onsite resources in Capco are very costly. In 2021, Wipro acquired Capco, a global management and technology consultancy to the banking and financial services industry, for $1.45 billion.

When asked about the proposed lay-offs, in a statement to TNIE, Wipro said, "We are committed to investing in our people, processes, and technology to drive better client and employee experiences and enhance productivity and agility across our organisation to meet fast-evolving client and market needs." The spokesperson added, "Aligning our business and talent to changing market environment is a critical part of our strategy as we look to build a resilient, agile, and high-performance organisation." Capco reported a double-digit sequential growth in order bookings in Q3 of this fiscal and this was the highest in the last three quarters. Wipro, seen many top-level executives exit in 2023, during Q3 earnings call, said the company is seeing consulting, especially Capco and Rizing, play a big role in the complex deals that they are winning in the market.

EXPRESS READ

Maruti's PAT up 33% at ₹3,130 crore

NEW DELHI: Beating street estimates, the country's largest carmaker Maruti Suzuki (MSIL) on Wednesday reported a 33% year-on-year jump in its net profit at ₹3,130 crore for the quarter ended on December 31, 2023. The surge in profit is attributed to softening commodity prices and a rise in sales of higher-margin sport utility vehicles (SUVs). *ENS*

Tata Steel may invest in UK plant

NEW DELHI: Tata Steel would consider additional investments in its Port Talbot plant in the UK, if more government funding was made available, its CEO T V Narendran said on Wednesday. The UK government has agreed to a 500 mn pound to support the loss-making steel plant which was facing shutdown over high carbon emission. *ENS*

K'taka govt, Wistron ink MoU for laptop unit

ENS @Bengaluru

WISTRON (ICT Service Management Solutions) on Wednesday signed an MoU with the Karnataka Government to set up a laptop manufacturing plant in the state.

Industries Minister MB Patil said the Taiwan-based company would invest Rs 1,500 crore, which could create jobs for 3,000 people. The minister said the company has sought 32 acres of land for the proposed project, and the government is considering providing the required land near Bengaluru.

The company plans to commence work related to setting up of the plant in July 2024, and to start manufacturing laptops by January 2026, said a statement. Patil said it is going to be a first-of-its-kind unit to manufacture laptops in the state. The unit, aligned to Industry 4.0 standards, with a fully automated facility, would make laptops for all brands and over 50% of the output would be exported. The plant would produce IoT components and EV-related parts too, the statement added.

Burman family increases 4% stake in Religare to 25.2% after CCI clearance

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @New Delhi

A week after receiving clearance from the Competition Commission of India (CCI), the Burman family has increased its holding in Religare Enterprises Ltd (REL) by 4% to 25.18% even as they continue to face takeover opposition from the current board of the diversified financial company.

The Burmans would now launch the much anticipated open offer to raise its shareholding above 50%. "We are happy to inform that we have increased our stake to 25.18% in Religare Enterprises Limited (REL). We reiterate our commitment towards the acquisition of REL. We now eagerly await the remaining approvals necessary to consummate the Open Offer and look forward to co-operation by the REL Board," said Mohit Burman, member, Burman family.

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Shares of REL went up by 9% intra-day post the transaction. It closed Wednesday session 5% up at ₹237. Last week anti-trust body Competition Commission of India (CCI) gave its approval for the acquisition of a 5.27% stake in REL by four firms controlled by the Burman family. CCI gave its nod to the Burmans for the follow-up open offer to buy up to another 26% in REL and take its holding to up to 53.94%.

The Burman family, the promoter of Dabur, had in September announced a ₹2,116 crore open offer to acquire up to 26% additional stake in REL. Since the announcement, the Burman family and senior board members of Religare, led by chairperson Rashmi Saluja, have levelled serious accusations against each other.

SPUR RESEARCH AND INNOVATION-LED ECONOMIC GROWTH

BUDGET WISH LIST

KIRAN MAZUMDAR-SHAW
Executive Chairperson, Biocon and Biocon Biologics

FINANCE Minister Nirmala Sitharaman is all set to present the Interim Budget for 2024-25. The economic context in which it is being presented is encouraging. Despite global volatility between 2020 and 2023, India's GDP grew 7.2 percent in 2022-23, making us one of the fastest growing major economies in the world. Good macroeconomic fundamentals—as reflected in a stable rupee, slow but steady growth in merchandise exports and controlled inflation—are expected to translate into a projected 7.3 percent economic growth in 2023-24. In contrast, the global economy's growth is projected at 2.4 percent in 2024 amid geopolitical tensions, trade protectionism and supply chain issues.

In this Budget, India Inc is anticipating a series of announcements aimed at boosting consumption, policy reforms to encourage domestic manufacturing, and an increase in infrastructure spending. As a key stakeholder in the pharma and biopharmaceuticals industry, I would like this Budget to focus on research and innovation-led economic growth.

Labelled the 'Pharmacy of the World', India caters to 20 percent of the global supply of generic drugs and provides 60 percent of the world's low-cost vaccines and 80 percent of antiretroviral drugs. In 2023, the Indian pharmaceuticals industry generated about $50 billion.

To reach its aspirational target of $120-130 billion by 2030, the industry needs to achieve a 13-15 percent compounded annual growth rate. To propel itself to a higher growth trajectory, the industry will have to move up the value chain and emerge as a global hub for pharmaceuticals and life sciences innovation. Currently, India is ranked third in global pharma production by volume, but 14th by value.

Spur investment through NRF

The government has exhibited great foresight in passing legislation to set up the Anusandhan National Research Foundation (NRF) for seeding, growing and promoting research and innovation in India through a ₹50,000-crore fund, of which about 80 percent is envisaged to come from the private sector.

To realise the potential of the NRF, I look forward to the finance minister decoupling it from private sector investments, especially when it comes to boosting spending in academic research. The government needs to take lead in investing robustly in promoting basic research at our colleges, universities and R&D-led academic institutions to ensure that it translates into high-value applied research.

The government can lean on the private sector for funding 'moonshot' projects, where industry will need to play a major role in promoting pharmaceutical research and innovation through centres of excellence. NRF funding can go towards sponsoring industry-academic partnerships in moonshot areas.

Reinstate tax cut on R&D

There are steep scientific, technical and regulatory bars to developing new and advanced therapies, making it a challenging, time-consuming and expensive proposition. Considering this, the government should reinstate the weighted tax cut on R&D expense, which was available till March 31, 2020.

It should consider offering 200 percent weighted tax deductions on all R&D expenses, including capital expenditures by both in-house and outsourced R&D setups (including contract research and development organisations). The reinstatement of this tax incentive was also recommended by the Parliamentary Committee on Commerce in 2021. The weighted deduction should also allow for costs incurred in training, nurturing and skill development of R&D talent.

Further, the government should waive GST on proprietary drugs to provide financial impetus to new drug innovation in the country.

Recalibrate patent box regime

The scope of the current Patent Box regime under Section 115BBF is limited to a concessional tax rate of 10 percent on royalty income. The scope of this section should be extended to cover all forms of income generated from the patents, such as income from manufacturing and licensing of such patented products. The income from exploitation of intellectual property registered overseas whose exclusive license is with Indian companies should also be eligible for the concessional tax rate. Moreover, the recommendation is to shift from the current gross basis of taxation to a net basis, allowing for deductions of R&D expenses when calculating taxable income.

In addition to incentivising R&D, my wish list for this year's Budget includes impetus to manufacturing and digital transformation initiatives, which can transform India into a global pharmaceutical innovation hub.

Lower supply chain GST rates

Currently, APIs or active pharmaceutical ingredients are taxed at a higher 18 percent rate of GST and formulations at the lower rate of 12 percent. Even as there is a provision of input tax credit, there are possibilities of inordinate delays in getting the refund. So, the government must consider bringing the entire supply chain under the lower rate of 12 percent to effectively deal with the issue of credit accumulation.

Extend tax holiday for SEZ

India is planning to transform its special economic zones (SEZs) into domestic-focused industrial hubs, shifting the emphasis from exports to bolstering manufacturing for the local market. A tax holiday under the SEZ regime was available for units that had obtained relevant approvals on or before March 31, 2020. It is recommended that these benefits be extended to units set up till March 31, 2025 to enable SEZs to achieve the broader economic goals such as promoting manufacturing and generating employment.

The government should consider extending the benefits under the RoDTEP (Remission of Duties and Taxes on Exported Products) scheme to SEZ units as well. Without such incentives, SEZs would lose their competitive edge.

Incentivise digital transformation

India Inc is implementing various initiatives related to digital transformation to remain globally competitive in a fast-changing world where technology is pervasive.

To get corporates to invest more in adopting Industry 4.0 tools such as AI, machine learning, Big Data and automation, the government should consider providing incentives such as weighted deduction on spending in digital transformation initiatives or certain GST exemptions.

To propel innovation and establish the Indian pharma and biopharma industry on a global scale, there is a need to offer fiscal incentives, implement supportive policies and develop essential infrastructure. A forward-looking Budget that supports research-led breakthrough advancements in science and technology will signal the government's commitment to its long-term vision of building a robust Indian economy.

Views are personal

Jan GST revenue up 10.4% to ₹1.72L cr, 2nd highest monthly collection in FY24

MONIKA YADAV @New Delhi

THE gross GST revenue collection in January stood at ₹1.72 lakh crore, reflecting a 10.4% year-on-year growth compared to ₹1.55 lakh crore collected in January 2023, according to the government data.

This marks the second highest monthly collection ever and the third month in the current financial year with a collection of ₹1.70 lakh crore or more.

From the IGST collection, the government has settled ₹43,552 crore to CGST and ₹37,257 crore to SGST. From April 2023 to January 2024, the cumulative gross GST collection saw an 11.6% year-on-year growth, reaching ₹16.69 lakh crore, in contrast to ₹14.96 lakh crore collected in the same period of the previous year (April 2022-January 2023).

The average monthly GST collection in the first 10 months of the financial year has been ₹1.67 lakh crore, which is ₹17,000 higher than the average monthly collection of ₹1.5 lakh in 2022-23.

Manish Mishra, Partner, JSA Advocates and Solicitors said, "Robust GST collections for January 2024 are an indicator of healthy economic growth. The fact that it is the second highest collection in a month since introduction of GST, is attributable to increased collection efforts on part of the authorities coupled with the fact that a lot of notices issued to the asessees have been adjudicated and demands have been confirmed and realised."

"One expects that this buoyancy in tax collections will continue in near future as well due to economy firing on all cylinders and increased recovery efforts by the authorities close to the end of the financial year," Mishra added. As per Vivek Jalan, Partner, Tax Connect Advisory, GST collections have been consistently rising and have almost doubled from an average of around 0.85 lakh crore in FY 17-18 to around than ₹16.5 lakh crore in FY24.

Core sector slows, fiscal deficit hits 55% of target

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @New Delhi

EIGHT core sector industries grew at the slowest pace of 3.8% in December on a year-on-year basis in past 14 months, as per commerce ministry data.

Except crude oil, all the remaining sectors witnessed positive growth with coal recording the highest growth at 10.6%, followed by natural gas at 6.6%, steel at 5.9% and fertilizers at 5.38%. Electricity, cement and refinery products saw a marginal growth of 0.6%, 1.3% and 2.6% respectively, while oil witnessed a drop of 1%. During first nine months of FY24, fiscal deficit was ₹9.82 trillion, which is 55% of the estimated ₹17.87 trillion for the year. Total receipts during this period amounted to ₹20.72 trillion, 76.3% of the annual estimate.

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN : U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No.: 506/BGM/SEE/Tr.(W&M)/C/EE(O)/AEE-1/23-24/7690-700 Date: 31.01.2024

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through KPPP Portal)

KPTCL invites tender on electronic mode vide Indent No. KPTCL/2023-24/SE0702 to KPTCL/2023-24/SE0718 for **Providing manpower services for carrying out shift operations and minor maintenance works at 220kV Chikodi and 110kV Sub-stations namely Athani, Satti, Taushi (Baligeri), Sankeshwar, Hattaragi, Hidkal Dam, Islampur, Daddi, Shirgaon, P.G. Hunshyal, Gokak, Sultanpur(H), Harugeri, Ghatanatti, Tigadi(G), Hallur located at Tr (W&M) Circle, KPTCL, Belagavi.**

The detailed notification regarding the works called through the KPPP mode can be obtained by logging on to website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in on or after 4.00 p.m. on 01.02.2024.** Other details can be obtained from the office of the undersigned.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer (Ele.), Tr. (W&M) Circle, KPTCL, Nehru Nagar, Belagavi-590010. Ph: 0831-2950835

PUBLIC NOTICE

Please take Notice that, my client **ANBU,** S/o. Gangan, Residing at No.196, 44th Cross, 8th Block, Jayanagar, Banashankari 2nd Stage, BENGALURU 560 070 is intending Purchaser and has entered into Registered Agreement for Sale vide document No.JAY-1-07889-2022-23, dated:26-12-2022, registered on the file of the sub registrar, Jayanagara, Bengaluru with respect to the Composite Schedule Property from its Co-owners **Sri. M. BYLAIAH,** S/o. Muddaiah and **Smt. SATHYAVATHI,** D/o. Chandrappa, W/o. N. K. Ramachandra, both Residing at No.223-1, 45th Cross, 8th Block, Jayanagara, BENGALURU-560 070 and the said agreement for sale is still subsisting and is legally enforceable under law. Now it came to the notice of my client, that, the above sellers are making hectic efforts in the market to sell the Composite Schedule Property without disclosing the existing registered agreement for sale in favour of my client with respect to the below mentioned property.

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Ground Floor Property No.223:23, present No.203, Municipal No.223/33/1, PID No.58-96-33/1, situated at 45th Cross, VIII BLOCK JAYANAGARA, BENGALURU, consisting of Ground Floor building built in the undivided land, measuring **EAST TO WEST: 30-0 FEET AND NORTH TO SOUTH: 50-0 FEET, IN ALL MEASURING 1500 SQUARE FEET.**

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of First Floor Property No.223:23, present No.203, Municipal No.223/33, PID No.58-96-33, situated at 45th Cross, VIII BLOCK JAYANAGARA, BENGALURU, consisting of First Floor building built in the undivided land, measuring **EAST TO WEST: 30-0 FEET AND NORTH TO SOUTH: 50-0 FEET, IN ALL MEASURING 1500 SQUARE FEET.**

COMPOSITE SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Residential Property bearing No.223:23, present No.203, Municipal No.33, PID No. 58-96-33 and No.33/1, PID No. 58-96-33/1, old No.223, situated at 45th Cross, VIII BLOCK JAYANAGARA, BENGALURU, measuring **EAST TO WEST: 30-0 FEET AND NORTH TO SOUTH: 50-0 FEET, IN ALL MEASURING 1500 SQUARE FEET,** along with pre-existing building thereon, in the layout formed by the City Improvement Trust Board, Bangalore (Now Bengaluru Development Authority, Bengaluru), and bounded on the:

EAST BY: Site No.222, **WEST BY :** Site No.224,
NORTH BY: Site No.186 and **SOUTH BY :** 45th Cross Road.

In view of the above, my client hereby give notice of caution to the public at large not to enter into any transaction with respect to the said property without the consent of my client. If any person/s doing any transaction to the said property shall be treated as the same is doing at their own risk and responsibility. At the same time any such transaction done by any person/s with respect of the said property is not binding on my client and the same shall be treated as null and void. If any person/s is intending to verify the said transaction/documents may contact the undersigned with respect to the said property.

PUNEETH RAJU. D.R., Advocate,
Chamber No.2, No.615, 1st floor, Avenue Road, Bengaluru -560 002.
Date: 01.02.2024 Place : Bengaluru

ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ.

ನಂ:ದಾಮಪಾ:ಕಾಅ3:ಇ.ಟೆಂಡರ್:19:2023–24 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 30.01.2024

ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

(ಇ–ಪ್ರಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ)

2023–24ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ನಿಧಿ– 04 ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಯ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ, 2023–24ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ 15ನೇ ಹಣಕಾಸು ಆಯೋಗ–01 ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಯ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗೆ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಮರು ಟೆಂಡರ್, 2021–22ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ 15ನೇ ಹಣಕಾಸು ಆಯೋಗದ"Million Plus City" ಮರು ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಅನುದಾನದಲ್ಲಿ–03 ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಯ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಮರುಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನ್ನು ಕೆಪಿಪಿಪಿ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಡಬಲ್ ಕವರ್ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು(ವಿದ್ಯುತ್/ ನೀರುಸರಬರಾಜು) ರವರು ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಿದ್ದು, ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು/ ಏಜನ್ಸಿದಾರರು/ ಸರಬರಾಜುದಾರರು ಕೆಪಿಪಿಪಿ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ವೆಬ್ ಸೈಟ್ kppp.karnataka.gov.in ನಲ್ಲಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಾಗಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದು. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಕಛೇರಿ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ಕಛೇರಿಯ ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ಶಾಖೆಗೆ ಭೇಟಿ ನೀಡಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ಸಹಾಯಕ ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 08192 234444 ರಿಂದ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು. ಸೂಚನೆ : 1) ಈ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಮುಂದೆ ನಮೂದಿಸಿದ ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ ಹಾಗೂ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಿಟ್ಟ ಮೊತ್ತ ದಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದೇ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಇದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಾಖಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನಮೂದಿಸಿದ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಿಟ್ಟ ಮೊತ್ತವು ಅಂತಿಮವಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. 2) ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ದಿನಾಂಕಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದೇ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಆದಲ್ಲಿ ಆ ದಿನಾಂಕಗಳನ್ನು ಇ–ಪ್ರಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಗಮನಿಸುವುದು ಹಾಗೂ ಯಾವುದೇ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಗಳನ್ನು ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಪೂರ್ಣಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆಯಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ವೇಳೆ : 14.02.2024 ಸಮಯ : 17.00 ಪೂರ್ಣಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಅಂತಿಮ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ವೇಳೆ : 15.02.2024 ಸಮಯ : 17.00 ಪೂರ್ಣಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ವೇಳೆ : 16.02.2024.ಸಮಯ : 17.30 ನಂತರ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆಯಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ವೇಳೆ : 06.02.2024, ಸಮಯ: 17.00 ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಅಂತಿಮ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ವೇಳೆ : 07.02.2024 ಸಮಯ 17.00 ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ವೇಳೆ : 08.02..2024 .ಸಮಯ : 17.30 ನಂತರ

ವಾಸಾಇ/ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ/543/ ಕೆಎಸ್‌ಎಂಸಿಎ/2023–24

ಸಹಿ/– ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು (ವಿ) ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ

Bank of Baroda

बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा Bank of Baroda

Bank of Baroda, Ramnagara Branch, P B No:12, M G Road, Ramnagaram, Ramnagaram Taluk & Dist- 5621259

NOTICE TO BORROWER

(UNDER SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002)

'At your request, Bank has extended credit facilities to the below mentioned individuals against secured assets through its **Bank of Baroda, Ramanagara Branch.** The relevant particulars of the property on which you have created security interest by execution of security agreement/documents & creation of mortgage by way deposit of title deeds are furnished hereunder. As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/ credit facilities have become irregular, the debts have been classified as Non Performing Assets in accordance with the directives/guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India consequent to the default committed by the borrowers in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the demand notice sent by register AD calling upon you, was un-served/not acknowledged, this publication is now issued.

1.Name and Address of the Borrower/Co-Borrower/Mortgagor/Guarantor: (1) **Mr.Kondaiah** S/o Late Muniyappa C (Borrower), 3rd Cross,Ambedkar Nagar,Ramanagaram, Ramnagara Karnataka-562159. **2) Mrs.Gowramma** W/o Kondaiah (Co-borrower), 192,ward No.5, Karisoppina Beedi, Near Ganesh Temple, Ramanagaram, Ramanagara, Karnataka-562159. **Guarantor : 3) Mrs. Dhanalakshmi** W/o Muniyappa C, # 192, ward No.5,Karisoppina Beedi, Near Ganesh Temple, Ramanagaram, Ramanagara, Karnataka-562159.

Sl No	Nature And Type Facility	Limit (Rs.) In lakhs	Rates of Interest (%)	O/s as on 30-12-2023 (inclusive of interest up to 30-12-2023)
01	Housing loan 67380600000476	Rs. 11,00,000/-	9.80%	Rs.10,39,046.33 /-

Security agreement with brief description of securities: Schedule : All that piece and parcel of land bearing site No.ARK-1-687measuring East to West on the North 9.00 meters on the South 8091 meters,North to South on the east 6.05 meters,on the west 6.00 meters,in all 53.95 Sq.meters,situated at Jeeganahalli(R.G/Arkavathi Layout) Residential layout,Ramanagara town,Ramanagara District, Boundaries: East : Road, West : Site No;683, North : Site No:686, South : Site No:688.

Amount Outstanding : Rs.10,39,046.33 /-((Rupees Ten Lakh Thirty Nine Thousand Forty Six and Thirty Three Paise only) with interest and Other Charges.

NPA Date : 29.11.2023 **Demand Date : 30.12.2023**

If you fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of this notice, Bank shall exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub section (4) of the section 13 of the SARFAESI Act. You are also put on notice that in terms of sub section 13 of section 13, you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed above without obtaining written consent of the Bank. This notice is without prejudice to the Banks rights to initiate such other action or legal proceedings as it deem necessary under any other applicable provisions of law.

Date : 31.01.2024 Place : Ramanagara

Sd/- Chief Manager, Bank of Baroda

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-TENDER NOTICE

Tender No : E-Tender No 282/2023-24/SE/PHC/CHN

JJM-WSS to Aikkaranadu, Mazhuvannoor & Kunnathunadu Panchayath - LSGD roads restoration for distribution networks in Mazhuvannoor, Kunnathunadu and Aikkaranadu Panchayaths - General Civil Work. EMD: Rs. 5,00,000/-; Tender fee: Rs. 19518; Last Date for submitting Tender: 19-02-2024, 03:00:pm. Phone : 0484-2360645
Website : www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

KWA-JB-GL-6-2234-2023-24 Superintending Engineer, PH Circle, Kochi

MANGALORE ELECTRICITY SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED

(A Government of Karnataka undertaking)
Corporate Office, "MESCOM BHAVANA", Bejai, Mangalore - 575 004
Ph: 0824-2885795 CIN: U40109 KA 2002 SGC 030425

No. E-89205/I/75485/2024 **Date: 31-01-2024**

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (THROUGH E-PROCUREMENT PORTAL ONLY)

MESCOM invites Short term tender for Manufacture & Supply of following material:

Tender No.	Name of the Material proposed for Procurement	Quantity
MESCOM/2023-24/IND0057	Ultra Sound partial discharge detector	2 Nos
	Leaky insulator detector	2 Nos
	Non contact Voltage detector	50 Nos

The interested eligible bidders may log on to **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **01.02.2024**

Sd/-, Superintending Engineer (Ele) (Procurement)

For Power Related Complaints & Assistance Call Toll Free Number 1912

Office of the Superintending Engineer, Baisinga Canal Division, Laxmiposi, PIN-757107, Dist. - Mayurbhanj

A-1337 **Email ID: sebaisinga2022@gmail.com**

AUCTION SALE NOTICE NO. 14/2023-24 of SE, BCD, Laxmiposi

1	No. of Work	Total 03 nos. of work
2	Reserve Price/ Upset price	Rs. 406.00 to Rs. 27,347.00
3	Auction Money / E.M.D.	Rs.50.00 to Rs. 1400.00
4	Period of Completion	01(One) Month from the date of issue of work order.
5	Date & Time of availability of bid document in the office of the undersigned	Upto 5.30 PM of 26.02.2024
6	Last date/time for receipt of bid in the office of the undersigned.	Upto 5.30PM of 29.02.2024
7	Date of opening of bid	01.03.2024 at 11.30AM
8	Name & Address of the O.I. Q	Office Of the Superintending Engineer, Baisinga Canal Division, Laxmiposi, Mayurbhanj-757107

Sd/- Superintending Engineer, Baisinga Canal Division, Laxmiposi

OIPR-32281/11/0004/2324

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER P.H. DIVISION, BHANJANAGAR AT CHATRAPUR

Phone - 06811 263909, FAX - 06811 263950, E-mail- eephchpr@gmail.com

NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING THROUGH e-procurement

C-2953 **Bid Identification No. 74/03 / SPH(C) / 2023-24 dt. 29.01.2024**

1. Name of the work : 1 (One) no of work
2. Estimate cost : 727.95 lakh
3. Date & time of availability of bid document in the portal : From 11.00 AM of 03.02.2024 to 5.00 PM of 17.02.2024
4. Last date / time of receipt of bid in the portal : 5.00 PM of 17.02.2024
5. Date and time of opening of bids : 1.00 P.M. on dated.19.02.2024
6. Name and address of the Officer inviting the bid : Superintending Engineer, P.H. Division, Bhanjanagar at Chatrapur.

Further details can be seen from the e-procurement portal https://www.tenderorissa.gov.in

Sd/- Superintending Engineer
P.H. Division, Bhanjanagar at Chatrapur
OIPR- 13172/11/0019/2324

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ

ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರ್, ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ಕುಡಿಯುವ ನೀರು ಮತ್ತು ನೈರ್ಮಲ್ಯ ಇಲಾಖೆ ವಿಭಾಗ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ, ಹಬ್ಬುವಾಡಾ–ಕಾರವಾರ, ಉತ್ತರ ಕನ್ನಡ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ –581301.

ದೂರವಾಣಿ: 08382–228935 ಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಸ್: 229735 E-mail: eerdwsd.uk@gmail.com

ನಂ: ಕಾನಿಇಂ/ಗ್ರಾಕುನೀಮನೈವಿ/ಕಾರವಾರ/ಪಿಬಿ–1/ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ/JJM/2023–24/2396 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 29/01/2024

ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯಪಾಲರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು, ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ಕುಡಿಯುವ ನೀರು ಮತ್ತು ನೈರ್ಮಲ್ಯ ವಿಭಾಗ ಕಾರವಾರ ಇವರಿಂದ ಪಂಚಾಯತ್ ರಾಜ್ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರಿಂಗ್ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ/ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನೊಂದಾಯಿಸಿದ ಅರ್ಹ ಹಾಗೂ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯಿಂದ ನೊಂದಾಯಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಂದ ಕುಡಿಯುವ ನೀರು ಸರಬರಾಜು ಯೋಜನೆಯಡಿ ಮಂಜೂರಾದ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಖರೀದಿ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕತೆ ಕಾನೂನು ಹಾಗೂ ನಿಯಮಾವಳಿ 2000 ಹಾಗೂ **Standard Tender Document KW-2 & 4** ನಂತೆ ತತ್ಸಂಬಂಧ ಕಾಲಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾದ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿ ಆದೇಶಗಳನ್ವಯ ನಿಬಂಧನೆಗೆ ಒಳಪಟ್ಟು ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನಂತೆ ಐಟಂವಾರು ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಕರೆಯಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಇ–ಆಡಳಿತ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಅಥವಾ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ **kppp.karnataka.gov.in** ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಿದಂತೆ. ಟೆಂಡರ್ ವಿವರಗಳು ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನಂತಿದೆ.

ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ ಹೆಸರು: (1) RWSSD/2023-24/WS/WORK_INDENT2267/CALL-05 (2) RWSSD/2023-24/WS/WORK_INDENT2752/CALL-5

(1) Downloading of document through e-proc portal: **30.01.2024 to 06.02.2024 up to 16.30 Hrs.** (2) Time & date of Pre-Bid Conference: **02.02.2024 Time: 11.30 Hrs.** Venue: O/o. Executive Engineer, Rural Drinking Water & Sanitation Division, Po: Habbuwada, Karwar- Uttara Kannada Dist. (3) Last Date & Time for Receipt of Bids: **06.02.2024 Time: 16.30 Hrs.** (4) Date & Time of Technical Bid Opening: **07.02.2024 Time: 17:00 Hrs.** (5) Date & Time of Financial Bid Opening: Will be informed technically qualified bidders after approval of Technical Bid.

ಸಹಿ/– ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರರು, ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ಕುಡಿಯುವ ನೀರು ಮತ್ತು ನೈರ್ಮಲ್ಯ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಕಾರವಾರ (ಉ. ಕ. ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ).

DIPR/ADK/KSMCA/601/23-24 dt.30.01.2024

Bank of Maharashtra

बैंक ऑफ महाराष्ट्र Bank of Maharashtra
H O: Lokmangal, 1501, Shivajinagar, Pune-5

Branch : JAYANAGAR, BENGALURU
TEL : 080-26542893, 26642727
E-mail : brmgr1374@mahabank.co.in bom1374@mahabank.co.in

AX27/SARFAESI/Demand Notice/2023-24 Date : 31.01.2024

POSSESSION NOTICE
For Immovable property [Appendix IV under the Act-Rule-8(1)]

WHEREAS, The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of Bank of Maharashtra under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, and in exercise of the powers conferred under Sub-Section (12) of Section 13 read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rule, 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated 21.11.2023 calling upon the borrowers, **Mr. Nandakumar S M & Mrs. U Dhanalakshmi,** to repay amount aggregating of **Rs. 81,29,779.00 (Rupees Eighty One Lakh Twenty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Nine Only)** plus unapplied interest thereon as mentioned in the demand notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said Notice. The notice was sent through Regd. AD Post as well as hand delivery.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules **on this 31st day of January of the year 2024.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of Bank of Maharashtra, **Jayanagar Branch** for an amount hereinabove mentioned.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The details of the properties mortgaged to the Bank and taken possession by the Bank are as follows :

All that piece and parcel of residential Flat bearing No. 368 on 3rd Floor admeasuring built-up area 1391 sq. ft. in the project named "DS-Max Savera" constructed on the land bearing Survey No.104/3 & 104/4, lying and situated at Uttarahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore - 560061 and the project is butted and bounded as under- On or towards **North :** By Land property of Sy No.104/1. On or towards **South :** By Road & Private Property. On or towards **East :** By Land property of Sy No.106. On or towards **West :** By Private property.

Sd/- Chief Manager & Authorized Officer Bank of Maharashtra Jayanagar Branch

Date : 31/01/2024
Place : Bangalore

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to public that my client **A V Shailaja** states that :- Sale deed dated 17-02-2006 executed by Anil Babu in favour of Smt. L Prema vide document No. HSK-1-05404/2005-06 stored in CD No. HSKD54, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Hosakote. If any body get any information about the said document/in the possession of the same/having any claim/interest in the schedule property may write/contact to the undersigned **within 15 days** with documentary proof failing which my clients will treat the certified copy of the said document as original and objections received thereafter is not binding upon my client.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Site. 34, Municipal Khatha No. 3171/2764/273/2275/34, situated at Rayasingh Layout, Hosakote town, Kasaba Hobli, Hosakote. Measuring East to West : 30 ft North to South : 40 ft Admeasuring : 1200 sft Bounded on:
East by : Site No. 35 (house belongs to S Ramesh)
West by : Site No. 33 **North by :** Road
South by : Site No. 43

POORNIMA. K.S Advocate.
2710, 6th Main, 2nd Stage, K.S. Layout, Bangalore-560 078. Mb: 9886244736.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **Sri. P. Devaraja** S/o Pilla Venkatappa R/a. # 84, KEB Road, Near Govt School, Siddarath Nagar, Shidlaghatta confirm resident of the above address. We hereby declare that my client has Lost the below mentioned Original Grant Certificate whiling carrying to Photostat the Documents, Near Siddarath Nagar, Shidlaghatta, on 19/01/2024. The Document of title Original Grant Certificate in the name of Pillavenkatappa with respect to Site No.11, khatha No.5120/3726/155 measuring (30X20) feet situated at Ashraya Layout, Shidlaghatta Town. This above Original Grant Certificate (Mother deed) dated 28/07/1997, all are registered in the office of the CMC, Shidlaghatta, Further Police complaint has been lodged on 27/01/2024 in Online bearing Lost Report. No.0905409/2024 to this effect which has been duly acknowledged. The above Public Notice is now issued. Any person having claim/in possession of the said document may represent to the under signed **within 07 days** failing which it will be taken that there are no claims.

Sri. P. Devaraja
R/a. # 84, KEB Road, Near Govt. School, Siddarath Nagar, Shidlaghatta
Mobile No.: 9731966925

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TAMILNADU MINERALS LIMITED

(An Undertaking of Government of Tamil Nadu)
No.31, Kamarajar Salai, Chepauk, Chennai - 600 005. Phone No.044-28682018, 28511972

NOTICE INVITING e-TENDER CUM FORWARD BIDDING

1	Description	**Sale of Cement grade Limestone (as mined) from Periyanagalur Limestone mine, Ariyalur District.**
2	Tender No. & Date Tender ID	**10/VAP-2/2024, Dated:31.01.2024** **2024_TNMIN_416054_1**
3	Bid submission end date	**01.03.2024 up to 1600 hrs.**
4	Technical bid opening date	**04.03.2024 at 1600 hrs.**
5	Tender form Fee & EMD	Rs.2,000/-(Rupees Two thousand only) EMD Rs.4,72,000/- (Rupees Four Lakh seventy two thousand only)

Note: For further details please visit Tamilnadu e-tendering portal:https://tntenders.gov.in

DIPR/556/TENDER/2024 **GENERAL MANAGER(FINANCE)**

TAMIL NADU GENERATION AND DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION LTD

Notice Inviting Tenders (E-Tendering Process)

Sl.No	Tender Inviting Authority	Specification No.	Total
1	CE/NCTPS-I	142	1

For details of Works / Procurement / Due date of submission / opening, viewing and downloading of e-tenders, please visit websites: **www.tangedco.gov.in, www.tenders.tn.gov.in, www.tntenders.gov.in/nicgep/app**

DIPR/582/Tender/2024

ANDHRA PRADESH INDUSTRIAL INFRASTRUCTURE CORPORATION LIMITED

(Govt. of Andhra Pradesh Undertaking)
APIIC Tower.,9,10&11th Floors, CFC-1, IT Park, Autonagar, Mangalagiri, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh-522503. Website: www.apiic.in Phone: 0863 - 2381850

APIIC has proposed for Setting up of Bulk Drug park, Nakkapalli, Anakapalli District, Andhra Pradesh on EPC mode. The tender documents (Request for Proposal, Concession Agreement and Price Bid) were submitted to Judicial Preview.

As a part of Judicial Preview and to ensure transparency, the tender documents were placed in the public domain of Judicial Preview **website:** www.judicialpreview.ap.gov.in **on 31.01.2024** to invite the objections / suggestions from the general public and intending bidders. The objections / suggestions, if any, have to be submitted to the Judge, Judicial Preview on or before **08.02.2024, 05.00 PM** through Judicial Preview official email apjudicialpreview@gmail.com only.

Mangalagiri,
Date: 31.01.2024

Sd/- CHIEF ENGINEER -III, APIIC : Mangalagiri

Bank of India

बैंक ऑफ़ इंडिया Bank of India BOI

Jayanagar Branch, No.623, 10 A Main, 4th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560011
Phone: 080-22959483 Email: Jayanagar.Bengaluru@bankofindia.co.in

NOTICE FOR PAYMENT OVERDUE OF LOCKER RENT

Sl No	Name and Address of the Locker Holders	Over due Locker Rent	Locker No	Details of Notice Sent	Overdue Since
1	Shweta Jashnani A-52, Manish complex convent Road No.10 Bangalore-560025	Rs.7,080/-	152	15.09.2023 16.12.2023 03.01.2024	10.02.2020
2	Chandresh Purshotham & Preeti Chandresh , C/o Neelpadma electricls No.70, 27th cross, 4th Block, jayanagar , Bangalore-11	Rs.8,850/-	203	20.12.2021 23.05.2022 15.09.2023 03.01.2024	12-06-2019
3	P. Shivashankar & Mrs Savitha Shivashankar 26, 4th Shop Street, Tata Silk Farm, Bangalore-560004	Rs.31,860/-	319	17.10.2023 16.12.2023 03.01.2024	06.04.2006

"The above-mentioned locker holder is maintaining Locker with **Bank Of India, Jayanagar Branch**. We have sent various communications in regard to payment of overdue locker rent on the dates mentioned in column 5 of the above table. However the same has not been paid despite various reminders. Hence above mentioned locker holder is once again advised to deposit the overdue rent mentioned in column no 3 of the above table within 15 days from publication of this notification. In the event of non-payment the Bank will drill open the locker on **20th Feb, 2024** at their (locker-holders) cost, expenses and charges entirely at their risk and responsibility after 15 days from date of this publication/notice"

Date: 01.02.2024
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer Bank of India

Form INC - 25A

ADVERTISEMENT TO BE PUBLISHED IN THE NEWSPAPER FOR CONVERSION OF PUBLIC COMPANY INTO A PRIVATE COMPANY
BEFORE THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR, HYDERABAD
MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

IN THE MATTER OF COMPANIES ACT, 2013, SECTION 14 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 AND RULE 41 OF THE COMPANIES (INCORPORATION) RULES, 2014

AND

IN THE MATTER OF SOMERSET THERAPEUTICS LIMITED (FORMERLY KNOWN AS WINTAC LIMITED), HAVING ITS REGISTERED OFFICE AT 54/1, 54/2, BOODIHAL VILLAGE, NELAMANGALA, BANGALORE - 562 123, KARNATAKA, INDIA

Notice is hereby given to the general public that Somerset Therapeutics Limited (formerly known as Wintac Limited) (the "**Company**"), is intending to make an application to the Central Government under Section 14 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the aforesaid rules and is desirous of converting into a private limited company in terms of the special resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on December 26, 2023 to enable the Company to give effect for such conversion.

Any person whose interest is likely to be affected by the proposed change / status of the Company may deliver or cause to be delivered or send by registered post of his objections supported by an affidavit stating the nature of his interest and grounds of opposition to the concerned Regional Director (Address: 3rd Floor, Corporate Bhawan, Bandlaguda, Nagole, Tattiannaram Village Hayat Nagar Mandal, Ranga Reddy District, Hyderabad - 500 068, Telengana, India), within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice, with a copy to the Company at its registered office at the address mentioned below.

For and on behalf of **Somerset Therapeutics Limited**
(Formerly known as Wintac Limited),

Sd/-
Karuppannan Poongodi Murali
Whole time Director
DIN: 06519661

SOMERSET THERAPEUTICS LIMITED (FORMERLY KNOWN AS WINTAC LIMITED)

REGISTERED OFFICE ADDRESS

54/1, 54/2, Boodihal Village, Nelamangala, Bangalore - 562 123, Karnataka, India

Can Fin Homes Ltd

Can Fin Homes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK) HOME LOANS • DEPOSITS
Bidadi Branch

Sri.Annapoorneshwari Complex, Above Canara Bank,B.G.S. Road, Bangalore – 562109, Ph: 080-2728250 Mob: 7625079189
e-mail Id: bidadi@canfinhomes.com
CIN No. L85110KA1987PLC008699

POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule 8 (1)]

(For Immovable Property)

The undersigned being the authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd. under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of the powers under the said Act and Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **29.09.2023** calling upon the borrowers **Mr. Chikkamasthan,** S/o Mr. Shik Mohammed **Mrs. Vaheeda** W/o Mr. Chikkamasthan and **Mr.G. Chandrasekhar** S/o Mr.Thulasi Naidu **(Guarantor)** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 39,29,327/-** (Thirty Nine Lakh Twenty Nine Thousand Three Hundred Twenty Seven only) to repay the amount mentioned in the notice from 29.09.2023 with further interest at contractual rates till date of realization within 60 days from the date of the said notice. The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned is proceeding to take possession of the property described hereinbelow in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this the **31st January 2024.**

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of CFHL for an amount of **Rs.39,29,327/-** and interest thereon .

Description of immovable property

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Katha No 478/30, property no 30, Municipal no 21, Situated at Kurubaralli Grama Thana, Laggere Dakle, Yeshwanthpura Hobli Bangalore north taluk, Bangalore. Ad-measuring East to West 20 feet and North to South 30 feet Total measuring 600 Sq feet and bounded on: East by :Road, West by : Property of B S Srinivasa, North by :Road, South by : Property Of Chikkanna.

Place: Bidadi
Date: 31.01.2024

Sd/- **Authorised Officer Can Fin Homes Ltd.,**

IN THE COURT OF THE XXXVI ADDL CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BENGLAURU

P & SC No. 26/2023

PETITIONERS:1. Jayanthi Sridhar W/o Late PB Sridharan, Aged about 76 years.
2. Niranjan Sridhar S/o Late P B Sridharan, Aged about 43 years. Both are residing at No.116 8th Main, Defence colony, Sahakara Nagara, Benglauru-560092.
RESPONDENT:NILL

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas, the above named has made petition to this court under section 372 of Indian Succession Act for the grant of Succession Certificate in favour of the petitioner in respect of PPO NO.634139800521 and Account No.56133012250, held by Late P B Sridharan Husband of Petitioner No.1 and Father of Petitioner No.2 herein who expired on 13-01-2022.

Interested parties are hereby called upon to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on **26/2/24 at 11- 00 A.M** appearance will be heard and considered as respondents are nill.

Given under my hand and seal of the court, this 18/1/24

By Order of the Court
Sd/- Assistant Registrar
City Civil Court, Bangalore

Address for service.
Vijayalakshmi. K. Advcoate,
No.590/1, near Hebbal Bus stand, Hebbal, Bangalore

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that my client intends to purchase the Schedule Property from **MRS. G. JAMUNA (Aadhaar No.6216 2778 7585),** aged about 63 years, W/o Mr. H. Devendrappa, Residing at No.933, 3rd Main, Near Adichunchanageri Matta, Manuvana, Bangalore -560040.

Any person having any objection regarding the said sale transaction, may contact the undersigned advocate with relevant documents within **7 days** from the date of this publication failing which it shall be deemed that there is no objection of any nature and my client will complete the sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Residential Property bearing Site No.659/D, BBMP Khatha No.635/659D, Situated at 1st Stage, 2nd Block, HBR Layout, (Hennur Bellary Road) Bangalore in Ward No.24-HBR Layout, measuring East to West 40 Feet and North to South 60 Feet, totally measuring 2400 Sq.ft., and bounded on as follows:-

East by : Site No.659/C,
West by : Site No.659/E,
North by : Site No.659/N and 659/O,
South by : Road.

Sd/- **K.R.Bharadwaj & Associates,**
Advocates,
No.30, 1st Floor, Above Medplus, Sukh Sagar Cross Road, 3rd Cross, 3rd Main K.K. Halli, Bangalore -560084.
Ph. 9844011141
E-mail: krblawassociates@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE

My Client **Mr. MOHAMMED MAAZ,** S/o Mukaram Yakub Sait, aged about 31 years Residing at Flat No.101, Arafa Trellis Apartment No.54, 2nd Cross, D-Costa Saquare Cookie Town, BENGALURU-84, has entered into an agreement of sale to purchase the schedule property, from its owner Mr. MOHAMMAD MUSTHAQ AHAMED S/o Late M. Abdul Azeez, aged about 69 years, Residing at KHR Layout, Javanagondanahalli, Chitradurga City, Chitradurga District-577511, for a valuable sale consideration.

Any person/s having objections to the above transaction or any claims whatsoever on the schedule property, shall, lodge their objections/claims with documentary evidence within Seven **(7) days** from the date of this notice with the undersigned. If no objections or any claim received within the stipulated period of seven days our client will proceed with the above-mentioned transaction presuming that no one has any claim and any claim made thereafter shall not be binding on our client.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of dry agricultural land bearing Survey No. 112, an extent of 5 acres 22 guntas (out of which 22 guntas karab land), with an assessment of Rs. 3.75 paisa, situated at Hosakote Village, Hosuru Hobli, Gowribidnur Taluk Chikkabalapura District and bounded on: **East by:** Mud Road and Subbarayappa S/o Narapps Land, **West by:** Garudachalaiah S/o Ramaswamy Land, **North by:** Mud Road and Arun Kumar S/o Lakshmipathy Land, **South by:** Hanumanth Reddy S/o Narasimha Reddy Land,

NOOR AHMED, ADVOCATE -HIGH COURT
Office No.64/22, Smart Palza, 4th Floor, Coles Road, Frazer Town, Opp. Kotak Mahindra Bank, Bangalore-560005.
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PUBLIC NOTICE

May it be known to the public at large of city of Bengaluru of large of the city of Bengaluru, and especially people at F.E of Sir. M. VishweshwaraiahNagara VIII Block Layout, Bangalore, that, **Ms. Komala .L,** D/o. Mr. LakshminarasaiahNarasimhaiah, R/at: No.24, 1st Stage, 1st Cross, K.H.B Bangalore North, Bangalore-560079, is the absolute owner of the BDA Site bearing No.543, situated at F.E of Sir. M. Vishweshwaraiah Nagara VIII Block Layout, Bangalore, measuring East to West 18 meters and North to South 12 Mtrs, totally measuring 216 Sq.Mtrs, and bounded on: **East by:** Site No. 538 & 537; **West by:** Road, **North by:** Site No.542, **South by:** Site No.544

That, in order to protect the said property documents, the following documentshave been laminated by the Owner of the said property:-

A. Allotment Letter dt:07.02.2004, bearing No.BDA/DS-4/543/F.E. of S.M.V. Nagara/Block-VIII/2003-04, dt: 07.02.2004,

B. Possession Certificate bearing PCR No.39/2004-05, dt:16.09.2004

C. Katha Certificate bearing No.BDA/DS-4/543/2004, dt:16.09.2004, issued by the BDA

D. Sale Deed dt:14.09.2004, registered on 16.09.2004, executed by BDA in favor of **Smt. Komala.L,** by conveying the schedule property, and the same came to be registered as document No.BDA-1-06937/2004-05, Book No-1, Stored in CD No.BDAD55, in the office of the sub registrar Additional District registrar Bangalore district Bangalore.

Hence it is publicly declared that, the above mentioned laminated documents are the original documents of the aforementioned property in my name, which is being presently mortgaged to the SBI Bank authorities (SBI-IFB Richmond Road Branch, Bangalore) for the purpose of Loan. If anybody or organization/Financial institutions having vested interest in the above Schedule Property, has any objection to the same, they are at liberty to convey their objections within **15 days** from the date of this publication, failing which it will be taken that there is no claim or objection whatsoever in this regard

SHARATH BABU, Advocate
Office at: "Garuda Law Associates", No.113, 1st Floor, C/o Bala Murugan Chits, Mehta Jewellers Building, Magadi Main Road, Bangalore-560023. Date:31-01-2024

PUBLIC NOTICE

General Public is hereby given notice that the property being Residential **Four Bedroom Villa** comprising of **Ground and First Floors** of the building, having a super built up area of **4303.84 Square Feet** built on the residential Site bearing No.58 bearing **Khata No.113/58 (E-Katha No. 150300200490500058)**, Issued by the Kannamangala Village Panchayat, in the residentially converted Layout known as **'SOBHA LIFESTYLE',** measuring east to west 58.6 ft and north to south 85.3 ft and totally measuring **5000 Square Feet** situated at **Thimmegowdana Hosahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District.** Owned by Mr. PIERRE GOPAL, Son of Mr. P. G. Ramakrishnan and Mrs. MALA GOPAL, Wife of Mr. Pierre Gopal, Residing at No. Villa 94, Adarsh Palm Retreat Phase- 1, Sarjapura Outer Ring Road, Devara Beesana Halli, Bangalore Bellandur, Karnataka 560103 And the said owner have purchaser the above Property by Deed of Sale dated 12.04.2018, registered as document NO.DNH-1-00313-2018-19, in Book-I, stored in CD.No.DNHD664, registered before the office of the Sub-Registrar, Devanahalli, Bangalore and Mr Pierre Gopal was represented by his Wife and Power of Attorney Holder Mrs. Mala Gopal, vide POA dated 14/02/2018 to execute the Sale Deed. Unfortunately, during the house shifting, the original Power of Attorney dated 14/02/2018 document has be lost and the same is not traceable. If anybody is in possession of the Original POA Document relating to the above said property, they are hereby requested to hand over the same to the below Address.

Advocate
Ayesha Anjum,
AZ LAW ASSOCITES,
No. 40, 5 Main, 4 Cross, Chamarajpet, Bangalore 560018

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, **Smt. K.R.RAJALAKSHMI,** W/o R. Raghunath, Aged about 65 years, R/at No.36, 1st Main Road, 4th Cross, PF Layout, Vijayanagar, Bengaluru-560040, to bring to the notice of the general public that I have lost the original sale deed dated 15/06/1970, which is registered as document No.873/1970, Volume No:845, pages at 77 to 78, registered in the office of the sub-registrar Basavanagudi, Bangalore, with respect to property bearing Corporation old No:12/3, New No:12/3-2, PID No:37-2/3-2, situated at Karithimanahalli Village, (Ashvathakatte Road, Kasthurbanagar) Mysore Road, Bangalore City, same is measuring East to West 32 feet and North to South 76 feet, if the founder of the said document may kindly return to the under signed. Further this notice is being to the notice that the undersigned is not responsible for the misuse of the said document. The undersigned already given complainant to the Vijayanagar, police station regarding to the same

T.N. RAJASHEKAR, Advocate
Off at No.14, 13th Cross, Cubbonpet Bengaluru-02, Ph: 9620645470.

PUBLIC NOTICE

I would like to inform the public that B.S. Ravindra S/o Late B.Subba Rao has lost the original sale deed dated 23.03.1981, Document No. 14076/ 1980-81 Vol. No. 1649, pages 264 - 267, Book No. 1, Bangalore South Taluk Sub-Registrar, Survey No. 1, Arehalli village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk. Schedule of Site No. 67 constituted in Survey No. 39 and 40 and bounded on the;

East by : Site No.66,
West by : Site No.68,
North by : Road.
South by : Road.

I have filed a Police Complaint in this regard on 23.04.2022, Lost Report No. 0208253 / 2022 If any one finds these documents please contact me at the following address within 7 days from the date of publication of this advertisement.

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Advocate
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STATE CONSUMER DISPUTES REDRESSAL COMMISSION UTTARAKHAND

23/16, Circular Road, Dalanwala, Dehradun, Uttarakhand 248001

Notice

Under the Consumer Protection Act, 1986

First Appeal No. 151/2018

(Against the order dated 18 Sep 2018 in Complaint Number 47/2017 of the District Forum Nainital)

Rajiv Agarwal ....Petitioner/Complainant/Appellant
Versus
Devesh Dhauniya & another ....Opposite Party/Respondent(s)

To

Opposite Party/ Respondent Name:
2, Apps Daily Solution Pvt. Ltd.
196/8, 25th Cross,
8th Main Jayanagar, 3rd Block,
Bangalore,
Karnataka

Notice for Publication

Whereas the Appellant above mentioned has filed the First Appeal before the State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission, Uttarakhand, Dehradun. Take notice that above First Appeal is listed for admission before this Commission, Uttarakhand, Dehradun on dated **06 February, 2024** at the above mentioned address. Take further notice that if you failed to attend the Commission the aforesaid date, time either in person or through your Counsel, the Commission may in its discretion passed the appropriate order in your absence.

By order Hon'ble Presiding Member
Sd/-
Administrative Officer
Uttarakhand, Dehradun

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our client intends to enter into joint development agreement in respect of property described Schedule hereunder, on assurance of its present owners Smt.Nagarathnamma and her son Malathesh Jois @ Malathesh Jois S.L, both legal heirs of S.L.Lakshminarasappa that, they have not encumbered the same in any way in favour of anybody.

If anybody is having any right, objections, lawful claim, interest, dispute for the above intended joint development agreement or schedule property, may contact the undersigned with the documentary proof substantiating his/her/their objections/claims/details of dispute/s within Seven (7) days from the date of this publication, failing which, our client would proceed with joint development agreement in respect of Schedule Property with the above owners as if there are no third party claims/objections/disputes in respect of the Schedule Property and thereafter no claims/objections/disputes will be entertained.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of property bearing Survey No.14/3 (Old Sy.No.14) measuring 1 Acre 10 Guntas, Sy.No.24/3 (Old Sy.No.24) measuring 10 Guntas and Sy.No.23/2 (Old No.23) measuring 20 Guntas, in all measuring 2 Acres situated at Amanimarasandra Village, Hesaraghatta-2 Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, bounded on the:-

East by : Portion of Sy.No.24;
West by : Portion of Sy.No.14 & 23;
North by : Kadathanamale Village Boundary;
South by : Portion of Survey No.13;

H.R.SHRIDHARA MURTHY
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IN THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL - II, BENGALURU.

B.S.N.L. BUILDING, 4TH FLOOR, TELEPHONE HOUSE, RAJ BHAVAN ROAD, BENGALURU-560 001.

O.A.NO.1543/ 2022

BETWEEN:
Canara Bank, J.P.Nagar 2nd Phase Branch, Bangalore. **...APPLICANT**
AND:
1. Mr. Manjunath J, S/o.Jaganath Subramy Aged about 42 years, No.22,8th Cross, Hoskerehalli, BSK II Stage, Bengaluru -560085
2. Mr.Ganesha .A.N, S/o Nanjundappa Aged about 54 years, No.11, 9th cross,2nd Main, ChamarajPet, Bangalore-560018
... DEFENDANTS

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against you for recovery of a sum of **Rs. 65,41,764.17/- (Rupees Sixty-five lacs Forty-one thousand Seven hundred sixty-four and seventeen paise only),** together with current and future interest and other reliefs. The above Defendant is therefore, hereby directed to before the Tribunal in person or through an advocate or through authorized agents in support of their defence to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication or on the **06.03.2024, at 10.30 A.M.** as to why the reliefs prayed for should not be granted.

Take notice that in case of default the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this **date: 24.01.2024**

Sd/- Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal-II, Bangalore

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Shah reappointed as ACC chairperson

Indian Cricket Board (BCCI) secretary Jay Shah was appointed as the president of the Asian Cricket Council for a third consecutive term. Shah's extension was proposed by the Sri Lanka Cricket president Shammi Silva and the nomination was unanimously backed by all the members of the ACC at its annual general meeting in Bali.

IMITATION GAME: INDIA'S PLAN B

India's training ahead of second Test seem to be dominated by sweeps & reverse sweeps

India players during a training session in Visakhapatnam on Wednesday | PTI

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN
@Visakhapatnam

THE YSR ACA-VDCA cricket stadium is away from the city's commercial headquarters. In fact, the distance hits you as soon as you lose internet connectivity on your smart phone. You have left behind the buildings and a reserve area (Kambalakonda Wildlife Sanctuary).

The roads, though, are broad as you are on NH 16, part of the Golden Quadrilateral. A small shopping mall has come up bang outside the Stadium. Next to it, a real estate company has put up billboards to sell residential flats around the area. It's not quite in the middle of nowhere but it's far away from the chaos one usually associates with Indian cities.

The serenity only adds during England's training session on Wednesday morning. With a small mountain range part of the impressive backdrop, the visitors' nets passed by without incident (Jack Leach was present but didn't bowl). Yes, more sweep shots were played. However, if imitation is the best form of flattery, the English team will consider themselves very flattered. Kuldeep Yadav, the first of the India's 16 players to hit the nets in the afternoon, swept and reverse swept. By the time the last player (Sarfaraz Khan) came out to bat at the practice facility, multiple batters had borrowed from the tourists' Hyderabad playbook of sweeping and reverse-sweeping. Rohit Sharma. KS Bharat. Rajat Patidar. Shubman Gill. Shreyas Iyer. You name a player and they either swept, reverse swept or practiced both shots on another strip that's likely to 'turn'. At least that was what batting coach, Vikram Rathour, felt when addressing the press. That the strip to be used for the Test was covered as early as 10.00 AM is an indication of how hot the conditions are in this part of India this early in the year. In Hyderabad, the ground staff had the deck uncovered two days out. As the sun was less harsh, they didn't think they were exposing the pitch prematurely. Here, they didn't want to take such chances.

If it's going to be a similar track to the one at Hyderabad, the sweep could be an effective stroke to put the spinners off their lines. However, like Rathour said, it cannot be added to a batter's arsenal just by practicing it a few days. "You need to be prepared for that by practicing it," the former India opener said. "If you add more shots to your game, it's always beneficial. (Our) strength is going straight when it comes to using our feet. We can keep doing that. Of course, if we can add more shots and score through the square of the wicket, that's always an addition."

Just because several batters employed the sweep shot two days out from the second match, correlation doesn't have to imply causation. They may well just be looking at their comfort levels when essaying that shot. And considering both R Ashwin and Axar Patel were bowling, it may well have been to give both spinners an opportunity to practice against batters who rely on the sweep.

But the sweep can be a safe option on surfaces where the bounce isn't too much. Both Joe Root and Ollie Pope said as much in Hyderabad. A third English batter — Zak Crawley — echoed similar sentiments when he spoke to the media on Wednesday. "I think sweeping and reverse sweeping when it's spinning is a good option," he said. "It takes the spin out of plan. I think the reverse sweep is more common for us, because there's less field in there. They always seem to have two men out on the legside. If they had two men out on the other side, we'd probably play the sweep... the reverse sweep comes probably just as naturally to us as the normal sweep," he added.

Selection headache as hosts look to turn tide

> They are superb players. We have seen how well they have done in domestic cricket in the last few years. So on these kinds of wickets, they can really add a lot of value to the team. If we have to pick one then it's of course going to be tough but that's a decision which Rahul Dravid and Rohit Sharma will have to make in a day or so.
>
> — Vikram Rathour when speaking about Patidar and Sarfaraz

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN
@Visakhapatnam

AS soon as Vikram Rathour settled into his chair inside the press conference room on Wednesday, he was asked about the values that Rajat Patidar and Sarfaraz Khan bring to the team. Less than an hour later, when the hosts started trickling in to part in a training session, one thing became apparent. While this may be a side that's devoid of experience (Joe Root has more Test runs than the entirety of India's 16-man squad for this game), the management do have a lots of options.

Like-for-like

This one is more of a left-field choice as Kuldeep Yadav may not play under such an arrangement. The injured Ravindra Jadeja will be replaced by Washington Sundar while Patidar will deputise for KL Rahul. The most likely changes, barring any XIth hour fitness concerns are likely to be Patidar and Kuldeep for the outgoing Rahul and Jadeja.

Four spinners in line-up

Mohammed Siraj ended up bowling only 11 overs and ended up conceding 50 without picking up a wicket. If they up down this route, apart from Patidar and Kuldeep coming in for Rahul and Jadeja, Washinton gets to play in place of Siraj. That would essentially mean R Ashwin, Axar Patel, Kuldeep and Washington in the line-up with Jasprit Bumrah as the lone pacer.

India batter Sarfaraz Khan during the training session on Wednesday | BCCI

Patidar & Sarfaraz

Another avenue for the selectors is to give debuts to as many two specialist batters in the top five. By seniority, Rajat — who was with the squad in the first Test — should be the first cab off the rank. He's odds on to come in place of Rahul. But if the management so desired, there's a place for both Patidar and Sarfaraz, with the former coming in place of Siraj. But this is unlikely to happen as the hosts would then go into the match with only four bowling options.

Gill, Shreyas considerations

What Rahul and Jadeja's withdrawals have meant is that they have essentially rubber-stamped Gill's place in the XI. It's also likely that Gill will play at one-drop but after that, it's a case of Russian Roulette. Shreyas Iyer may be the man at No. 4 but nobody can say with any certainty. Patidar, whose only previous match for India came in an ODI late last year, could slot in at No. 5.

State of play for visitors

With Jack Leach ruled out, there is a high chance that Shoaib Bashir might debut. Bashir, who landed in Hyderabad on the last day, is a tall offie and could be another x-factor. Should England choose to go with two pacers, they still have the squad to do that with James Anderson in waiting.

Union sports minister Anurag Thakur and Tamil Nadu sports minister Udhayanidhi Stalin with top-3 states | P JAWAHAR

Curtains on Khelo Games

ENS @ Chennai

SONG, dance and music marked the closing of the 6th Khelo India Youth Games 2023 here on Wednesday. The valedictory function began in a grand manner with artists showcasing dance forms of various states — bharatanatyam, Odissi and Kathakali. The Games was inaugurated by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, where about 5500 athletes from 36 states and Union Territories took part.

The event was held across four cities in Tamil Nadu — Chennai, Coimbatore, Madurai and Trichy. Hosts bagged the second place with 98 medals, Maharashtra secured the top spot with 158 and Haryana came third.

Union Sports Minister Anurag Thakur, who was the chief guest at the closing ceremony, lauded the athletes for their perseverance. "In the past ten days, not only Chennai but the entire nation witnessed history unfolding. The resilience, and determination exhibited by each athlete have filled us with an overwhelming sense of pride and optimism for the future of sports in our great nation. This edition of the Games holds a unique significance as it marks the first occasion the games have been hosted in the southern state," said Thakur.

"I extend my heartfelt congratulations to the Government of Tamil Nadu for organizing such a remarkable, successful event and ensuring seamless coordination. PM in his speech at the opening ceremony envisioned that India will become the next sporting superpower in the world. And every passing day is a testament to this transformation." added Thakur.

Udhayanidhi Stalin, TN Minister for Youth Welfare and Sports Development was pleased with the way Khelo Games was organised and complimented all the athletes who participated and in particular the medals winners for making the Games a success.

"The success of KIYG reaffirms Tamil Nadu's commitment to sports and its capability to successfully organize and execute grand events of national and international significance. Over the past 13 days, our state has been proud to host over 5400 plus athletes from across the country showcasing their sporting skills and various disciplines. This is the first time Tamil Nadu stands in top three in the medal tally in the history of the KIYG," said Udhayanidhi Stalin.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Best-ever finish for TN

ENS @ Chennai

HOSTS Tamil Nadu finished the Khelo India Youth Games 2023 campaign on a high, securing both singles gold medals in tennis and a gold in swimming as they came second behind Maharashtra in the overall medals tally.

In what was their best-ever show at the games, Tamil Nadu won 98 medals, including 38 gold. Rethin Pranav RS bagged the day's first gold at the SDAT Tennis stadium when his opponent Cahir Warik retired while trailing 6-2, 3-0 in the final. MR Revathi then ensured that TN won all the four tennis gold on offer with a 6-1, 6-3 victory over Laxmi Siri Dandu of Telangana.

Results: Football (Final): Boys: Gold: Meghalaya bt Punjab 2-0; Bronze: Jharkhand, Odisha; Swimming: Girls: 50m breaststroke: Preshetha P (TN) 34.91s; Hiba Chougle (Mah) 34.94s; MU Joyshree (TN) 35.15s; 1500m freestyle: Vritti Agarwal (Tel) 17:59.51s; Aditi Mulay (Kar) 18:12.77s; Sri Charani Tumu (Kar) 18:17.85s; Boys: 50m breaststroke: Vidith Shankar (Kar) 29.51s; Rana Pratap (Jha) 29.78s; Kevin Jinu (Ker) 29.91s; 4x100 freestyle relay: Maharashtra 3:35.15s; Karnataka 3:37.06s; West Bengal 3:42.17s; Table-tennis: Boys: Singles: Gold: Ankur Bhattacharjee (WB) bt Priyanuj Bhattacharya 11-6, 15-13, 11-7, 7-11, 7-11, 11-7; Bronze – Sarth Mishra (UP); Doubles: Gold: Divyansh Srivastava/Sarth Mishra (UP) bt Ankur Bhattacharjee/Bodhisatwa Chaudhary (WB) 11-4, 12-10, 4-11, 7-11, 11-9; Bronze – Jash Modi/Neil Mulye (Mah); Tennis: Girls singles: Gold: MR Revathi (TN) bt Laxmi Siri Dandu (Tel) 6-1, 6-3; Bronze: Aishwarya Jadhav (Mah), Laxmiprabha Arunkumar (TN); Boys singles: Gold: Rethin Pranav RS (TN) bt Cahir Warik (Mah) 6-2, 3-0 (retd).

Preshetha P (L) and U Joyshree M won 50m breastroke gold and bronze respectively for hosts | MARTIN LOUIS

EXPRESS READ

Punjab's Manju adds 10km gold to her kitty

CHANDIGARH: Punjab's race walker, Manju Rani enjoyed a good run in the National Open Race Walk Championships, winning the gold medal in the senior women's 10km competition. She brightened her prospects of competing in the inaugural marathon race walking mixed relay at Paris Olympics.

Srikanth moves to Rd 2 of Thailand Masters

BANGKOK: Indian shuttler Kidambi Srikanth opened his campaign at the Thailand Masters badminton tournament with a 22-20, 21-19 win over Chinese Taipei's Wang Tzu Wei here on Wednesday. He will take on compatriot Mithun Manjunath who defeated Jason Gunawan 21-17, 21-8.

Japan advance to the Asian Cup quarterfinals

DOHA: Japan maintained its pursuit of a record-extending fifth Asian Cup title by advancing to the quarterfinals with a 3-1 win against Bahrain. The tournament favourite has bounced back from a surprise 2-1 loss against Iraq in the group stage and will play either Iran or Syria in the next round.

Arsenal win, close gap with Liverpool

AGENCIES @ London

WITH one team scoring after just 18 seconds and another after 21 seconds, the Premier League made an explosive return Tuesday following the competition's short winter break. Arsenal left it much later for its goals in a win that kept the pressure on Liverpool at the top.

Just when it looked like being another frustrating match for Arsenal's often-profligate attack, Gabriel Jesus and Bukayo Saka scored in the second half to help the team beat Nottingham Forest 2-1, jump into second place and trim the gap to first-place Liverpool to two points. Arsenal might be able to maintain a title push heading into the final months of the campaign, but can Aston Villa? Unai Emery's team has been the big surprise this season but a 3-1 loss at home to Newcastle slowed its bid for a finish in the Champions League places, with Villa staying in fourth place.

There were five games in total and 16 goals scored, three of them coming for Luton striker Elijah Adebayo in a 4-0 thrashing of Brighton that lifted his team out of the relegation zone.

Hartley rewarded for attacking mindset: Raju

ASHOK VENUGOPAL @Chennai

FORMER India left-arm spinner and former national selector Venkatapathy believes that debutant Tom Hartley, who took seven wickets against India in Hyderabad, adapted beautifully in the second innings after reading the surface better. "Left-arm spinners are unique. The variations, the arc, the angles and their ability to turn the ball away from the batters makes them unique," Raju told this daily. "Hartley was absolutely brilliant in the second innings. In the first innings against India, he conceded more than 100 runs for his two wickets. He learnt from the mistakes, adjusted his bowling in the second innings and was rewarded. Since it was his debut he took a while to learn about the wicket. Once he got to do that he was a lot quicker in the second innings, brought about subtle variations and worked on his angles," pointed out Raju.

The former India spinner attributed Hartley's success to his positive mindset and specific plans for each batter. "The beauty is that Hartley with a positive mind set went for wickets and he was successful. He had specific plans on how to bowl to each and every India batter. The way he foxed Siraj by spinning the ball away from the right-hander when India were within an arm's distance of a victory, showed his presence of mind and confidence," opined Raju.

With Kohli unavailable and KL Rahul, Ravindra Jadeja injured, India are short on experience for the second Test. "It is unfortunate. This gives an opportunity for the rest to prove a point. The likes of Sarfaraz Khan have been included. The final XI is the prerogative of the team management. Having said that, Sarfaraz has scored heavily in domestic cricket. It is up to them (team think tank) to see the wicket and conditions and pick the best XI," insisted the former Hyderabad captain.

At Visakhapatnam, England will once again expect Hartley to do an encore, as most of the wickets on this tour are expected to be spinner friendly.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Mayank discharged, heads to Bengaluru

AGARTALA: Mayank Agarwal on Wednesday said he is on the mend after day-long hospitalisation caused by a suspicious liquid he drank on-board a New Delhi-bound flight. "I am feeling better now. Gearing to comeback" Agarwal posted on X on Wednesday.

Mayank Agarwal leaves the ILS hospital, Agartala on Wednesday | PTI

Aisam likely to play singles

AGENCIES @Islamabad

AISAM UL-QURESHI, Pakistan's most successful tennis player, does not play singles on the ATP Tour, but when national duty demands it, he willingly takes up the responsibility, and the Indian team might have to contend with him on the opening day of the Davis Cup World Group I tie, starting Saturday.

The opening day will feature in two singles, and Aisam could play in one of those against either Ramkumar Ramanathan or N Sriram Balaji. Aisam has 41-22 win-loss record in singles in 48 matches he has played in 44 nominations.

Vishnu 1st Indian sailor to confirm Oly quota

KALYANI MANGALE @ Chennai

AFTER the historic bronze at the Asian Games, Vishnu Saravanan became the first Indian sailor to confirm the quota in the Paris Olympics at the Men's World Championship. The 27-year-old secured the qualification as he finished 26th amongst 152 sailors in the ILCA (International Laser Class Association) 7 class. With seven quotas up for grabs at the Championship in Adelaide, the sailor from Mumbai confirmed his ticket to Paris 2024.

What makes this achievement even more special is that this is the first time any Indian sailor has qualified for the Olympics via the World Championship. "It is a wonderful feeling. This is the first time our sailor has qualified while competing in the World Championship, which is a big deal," Captain Jitendra Dixit, joint secretary general of the Yachting Association of India, told this daily. "Vishnu is the first sailor to get the qualification for two Olympics in India, which is a huge achievement in itself. It is a proud moment for all of us."

"For the Tokyo Olympics, the qualification came through the Asian Continental qualification. That was only Asian countries, now athletes from all over the world were part of this competition. Veterans say that the World Championships are more difficult than the Olympics. In the Olympics, only one sailor from a country participates, but in the World Championship, the top nations send multiple sailors. That makes it a great achievement," he added. Vishnu, Army Subedar, who practices at the Army Yachting Node in Mumbai, secured the top rank among Asian countries, surpassing gold medallists from Singapore in the Asian Games and medal winners from Hong Kong and Thailand in the Continental Qualifiers. He was part of the gold fleet, which included the Top 50 sailors from the ILCA 7 class. In the initial days of the tournament, all the sailors in the class are divided into three fleets based on their performance - gold, silver, and bronze. The top sailors who made it to the gold fleet competed among themselves for the remaining races. He concluded the competition with an overall score of 174. Following the standard rule, his least score of 49 in a race was subtracted, resulting in a net score of 125.

Indian sailor Vishnu Saravanan

With this achievement, the gradual success of Indian sailing has unlocked another milestone and Dixit believes the Olympic qualification via the Worlds is one of the proudest moments. The Olympics are still six months away, and India would hope to snatch a medal in sailing, but for now, Vishnu has created a history, that everyone can applaud.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Odisha to launch world's first-ever melanistic tiger safari near the popular *Similipal Tiger Reserve*.

Malaysia Airlines to join hands with an Indian carrier soon, to increase its footprint in India.

KOLKATA'S HOME-MUSEUM TRAIL...

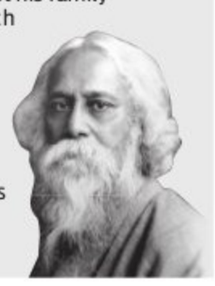
The best way to start a cultural pilgrimage in the *City of Joy* is by visiting these restored homes dotted across the urban landscape...

PRATTUSA MALLIK

WHEN we talk about the culture of Bengal, what most of us essentially connote is an intellectual lineage that originated from the late 18th century to the early 20th century colonial-ruled Kolkata. The artistic, cultural, social and intellectual paradigm shift that took place in the region during this time is often referred to as the Bengal Renaissance. And oaring the tumultuous waters were personalities like Rabindranath Tagore, who have become almost synonymous with the culture of the region. If you too are half-enchanted and half-curious about that era, here's something you can do the next time you are in the *City of Joy*. Over the last decade, several of the ancestral homes of these intellectuals have been restored as museums and opened for visitors. If you are a history buff, these places will surely appeal to you. If not, you can simply visit them to take in the graceful colonial-period fusion architecture. As religious pilgrimages in the country grow more and more popular, perhaps this is a good time to begin a trend of literary or cultural pilgrimages in India? Here are the ancestral houses-turned-museums of three such Bengali icons that you must visit.

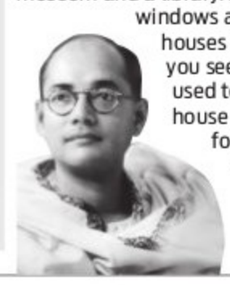
JORASANKO THAKUR BARI

Before you judge us for suggesting such an obvious option, let us tell you why you cannot skip this even if you have visited Shantiniketan. Tucked away in a quiet corner of the otherwise buzzing College Street and surrounded by trees like Spanish Cherry and Yellow Saraca, this ancestral house of Nobel laureate Rabindranath Tagore has been restored to reflect the way it looked when the Tagore family lived in it. Officially known as the Tagore Museum, it offers knowledge about the history of not only the poet but his family members in detail, including their role in the Bengal Renaissance, which was pivotal. The house — with its architecture style typical of the colonial period — is made of beautiful red bricks and painted white in places. The space has several libraries, with one of them featuring artworks from the *Bengal School of Art* founded by Abanindranath Tagore. Don't miss checking out mementos from Rabindranath's visits to countries — like China, Hungary, Italy, Japan and the US — which might surprise you revealing how interesting the poet's relations with these countries were. ***Nearest metro station:*** *Girish Park Metro Station.* ***Nearest Bus stand:*** *Vivekananda Road.*



VIVEKANANDA MUSEUM

Swami Vivekananda was born at Simla Pally — one of the oldest neighbourhoods in North Kolkata. The palatial house he was born in, built by his grandfather Rammohan Datta, is more than 300 years old. In 2004, the house was opened to the public after being restored by the Ramakrishna Mission. The materials used for restoration were similar to those used during the 18th century construction. This resulted in a house bathed in white marble with intricate designs. The space envelops you with its serenity the moment you enter. It houses a beautiful shrine on the terrace to mark the place where Vivekananda was born, the *thakur dalan* (place of worship and the adjoining courtyard) and its 36 rooms. The small Vireshwar Shiva temple is believed to be the place where Vivekananda's mother had prayed for a son, eventually getting her wish fulfilled. A lot of people come here for a brief meditation or prayer, believing their dreams will come true. The museum is also designed to make the visitors aware of major milestones of Vivekananda's life. ***Nearest metro station:*** *Girish Park Metro Station.* ***Nearest Bus stand:*** *Vivekananda Road.*



NETAJI BHAWAN

Built by his father in 1909, this house was where Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose lived most of his life in Kolkata. Now, it includes archives, a museum and a library. Aesthetes will love the yellow facades, green windows and the red flooring that comes with the art-deco houses of that time. The moment you enter the space, you see the black German Wanderer Sedan that Netaji used to flee in disguise during the 'great escape' from his house arrest in 1941. And from relics of Netaji's footprints to the letters that he wrote while in hiding — the museum will appeal to anyone interested in Indian history. **Nearest metro station:** Rabindra Sadan. **Nearest Bus stand:** Elgin Road.

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ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ
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ಇ-ಪ್ರೋಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಟೆಂಡರ್

ಕ್ರ ಸಂ	ವಿವರಗಳು	ದಿನಾಂಕ
1	ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ ಮೊತ್ತ 2%	ರೂ. 5,40,000/-
2	ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ವೇದಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಫಾರಂ ಡೌನಲೋಡ್ ಆರಂಭ ದಿನಾಂಕ	ದಿನಾಂಕ: 30-01-2024, ಪೂರ್ವಾಹ್ನ 11.00
3	ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಆಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆಗಳಿದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಆಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮಯ	ದಿನಾಂಕ: 15-02-2024
4	ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ವೇದಿಕೆಯ ಮೂಲಕ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮಯ	ದಿನಾಂಕ: 02-03-2024ರ ಅಪರಾಹ್ನ 4.00
5	ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮಯ	ದಿನಾಂಕ: 04-03-2024ರ ಅಪರಾಹ್ನ 4.00
6	ಟೆಂಡರ ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ	ರೂ. 2,69,57,007/-

ಮೇಲಿನ ದಿನಾಂಕಗಳಂದು ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ರಜೆಯೆಂದು ಘೋಷಣೆಯಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಮುಂದಿನ ಕೆಲಸದ ದಿನಾಂಕವನ್ನು ಪರಿಗಣಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು

ಸಹಿ/-
ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ & ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು,
ಉತ್ತರ ಕನ್ನಡ, ಕಾರವಾರ

GOVT. OF ODISHA
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
OFFICE OF THE ADDITIONAL CHIEF ENGINEER,
DRAINAGE CIRCLE, UNIT-8, BHUBANESWAR-751012
E-PROCUREMENT NOTICE NO. ACEDC-BBSR-08/2023-24
A-1366 email Id :- sedrainagebbsr12@gmail.com

1.	Total number of Packages	:	3no. of works as mentioned below.
2.	Name of Works	:	1. IMPROVEMENT TO LINK DRAINS OF BODAGHAI DRAINAGE SYSTEM INCLUDING ITS STRUCTURES UNDER HINJILI AND SHERAGADA BLOCKS IN DOAB NO. XVII OF GANJAM DISTRICT. 2. DREDGING OF BRACKISH WATER CHANNEL FROM HARIDAS TO CDA CHANNEL NEAR KUSUBENTI VILLAGE UNDER BRAHMAGIRI BLOCK IN PURI DISTRICT. 3. RENOVATION OF LUNA-RATNACHIRA DRAINAGE SYSTEM WITH STRUCTURES UNDER BRAHMAGIRI BLOCK.
3.	Estimated Cost	:	1.Rs. 2,57,75,808.00 2.Rs. 6,17,91,321.00 3.Rs. 4,76,85,389.00
4.	Bid Identification No.	:	ACEDC-BBSR/DD-BAM-18/2023-24 ACEDC-BBSR/DD-PURI-19/2023-24 ACEDC-BBSR/DD-PURI-20/2023-24
5.	Period of completion	:	11 (Eleven) Calendar months.
6.	Class of Contractor.	:	As per DTCN
7.	Date and time of availability of Bid Document in the portal.	:	03.02.2024, 11.00 Hours to 17.02.2024, 17.00 Hours.
8.	Date of Opening of Technical Bid	:	19.02.2024 at 11.00 hours in the O/o the Additional Chief Engineer, Drainage Circle, Unit-8, Bhubaneswar.
9.	Date and time of receipt of Bids in the portal.	:	03.02.2024, 11.00 Hours to 17.02.2024, 17.00 Hours.
10.	Last date and time of receipt of Bids in the portal.	:	17.02.2024, 17.00 Hours.
11.	Date of opening of financial Bid.	:	To be uploaded in Portal after evaluation of technical bids.
12.	Date of Lottery (If required)	:	To be intimated to the responsive bidders through their Registered E-Mail IDs.
13.	Bid Security	:	1.Rs.2,57,758.00 2.Rs.6,17,913.00 3.Rs.4,76,854.00
14.	Cost of Tender paper	:	Rs.10,000/-
15.	Procurement Officer	:	Additional Chief Engineer, Drainage Circle, Unit-8, Bhubaneswar-751012.

Further details can be seen from the Govt. web site www.tendersorissa.gov.in. Addendum Corrigendum/ Cancellation if any required will be published only in Govt. web site www.tendersorissa.gov.in
Sd/- Additional Chief Engineer, Drainage Circle, Bhubaneswar.
OIPR- 32375/11/0009/2324

KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED
(BALLARI THERMAL POWER STATION)
CIN : U85110KA1970SGC001919

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through e-procurement portal)

Tenders are invited through e-Procurement Portal (Website URL: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**) for the following works: (1) No.: KPCL/ 2023-24/EL/WORK_INDENT1114, dated 25.01.2024 for **"HT/LT cable laying and jointing work".** EMD: **Rs. 21,000/-.** (2) No.: KPCL/ 2023-24/PS/WORK_INDENT1159, Date: 25.01.2024 for **"Routine, preventive and breakdown maintenance works of bowl mills, gravimetric feeders, seal air fans, coal pipes and MRHS of Unit-1, 2 & 3 (2x500MW and 1x700MW) for a period of one year".** Amount put ot tender: **Rs. 291.78 Lakhs.** EMD: **Rs. 4,37,677/-.** Last date & time for submission of tenders: **for Sl. No. 1: 08.02.2024, for Sl. No. 2: 26.02.2024 up to 15.00 hrs.** Further details can be had from the **for Sl. No. 1:** Executive Engineer (CHP) E-1, Mobile: 09448290554, **for Sl. No. 2:** Executive Engineer (MM), Mobile: 9448290571, BTPS, KPCL, Kudathini-583152, Ballari District.

SMART CITY THIRUVANANTHAPURAM LIMITED
CIN U75302KL2017SGC05027
E-TENDER NOTICE

E-Tenders are invited for the following projects of Smart City Thiruvananthapuram Limited

Sl. No.	Name of Project	E-Tender ID	PAC Amount (exclusive of GST)	Bid Submission Last Date
1	City Beautification works Kazhakuttom Railway Station, Technopark, adjoing areas-Upgrading to Smart Road by providing foot path to Technopark, UG ducting conduits, Solar Street lights, CC camera surveillance to Sreekariyam Kazhakuttom via Kulathur road.	2024_SCTLT_647437_1	Rs.4,17,13,381/-	03 Feb 2024
2	Patch Work at RKV Road	2024_SCTLT_651831_1	Rs.1,77,000/-	07 Feb-2024

Date and Time of Opening Price Bid: To Be Intimated Separately to Technically Qualified Bidders by e-mail. All the RFP documents and details are available on the e-Procurement Website. Bids are only accepted online on the Website https://etenders.kerala.gov.in

(Sd/-), CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, SMART CITY THIRUVANANTHAPURAM Ltd.

S.NIJALINGAPPA SUGAR INSTITUTE, BELAGAVI
C.T.S.No.4125/1B, Ganeshpur Road, Laxmi Tek,
Belagavi-590 009 (Karnataka) Ph: 0831-2472483

TENDER NOTIFICATION

Sub: Construction of Cement Concrete road from Administration block to main gate at S. Nijalingappa Sugar Institute, Belagavi

1. The Contractors are invited for Construction of Cement Concrete road from Administration block to main gate at S. Nijalingappa Sugar Institute, Belagavi
2. The details for Construction of Cement Concrete road at S.Nijalingappa Sugar Institute, Belagavi and requirements can be viewed in SNSI/2023-24/RD/WORK_INDENT1 from e-procurement portal https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in
3. The last date for receipt of the tender documents in the e-procurement portal is on 15.02.2024 upto 17.00 hrs.

Date:31.01.2024 Sd/- Director

UNIVERSITY OF MYSORE
VISHWAVIDYANILAYA KARYA SOUDHA,
CRAWFORD HALL, MYSURU-570005
ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: ಪವಿ/7.1/104ಘ/2023-24 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 25.01.2024

TENDER NOTIFICATION

The Registrar (Evaluation) University of Mysore invites tender from eligible bidders for the supply of Approximately 480 Gold Medals for 104th Annual Convocation. The tender indents are as follows:
MU/EB/Gold Medal/2023-24/IND-0015
The Last date for Submission is 08-02-2024 for more details bidders may visit http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in for more clarification bidders may contact 0821-2419213/450 during office hours.

DIPR/DDMYS/KSMCA/978/2023-24 Sd/- Registrar (Evaluation)

ADITYA BIRLA CAPITAL PROTECTING INVESTING FINANCING ADVISING
ADITYA BIRLA HOUSING FINANCE LTD

Registered Office: Indian Rayon Compound, Veraval, Gujarat 362266.
Branch Office: Aditya Birla Housing Finance Limited, Star Avenue, No.1(78), 3rd Floor, 6th Cross Street, Victoria Layout, Victoria Road, Beside Vijaya Bank, Bangalore- 560025

Sale Notice
[Rule 9(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002]

SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY OF IMMOVABLE ASSET CHARGED TO ADITYA BIRLA HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002. ("SARFAESI ACT")

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of Aditya Birla Housing Finance Limited (hereinafter referred to as **"ABHFL"**) has taken the physical possession of the immovable property being ***""All the piece and parcel of property With Apartment No.301 on the 2nd Floor, in the building known as "Sethi Enclave" measuring 1100 sq.ft., of super built up area and 301 sq.ft., of undivided share of land constructed on Plot No.12, Municipal No.12, of Lottegollahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk within the revenue limits of Vajarahalli Village Panchayath bounded on the North by Site No.11, South by Private Property, East by Site No.13, West by 40 feet Road(hereinafter referred to as "Secured Asset")*** under Section 13(4) of the Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as "**SARFAESI Act, 2002**") which stood secured in favor of ABHFL towards financial facility, its outstanding dues of ***Rs.48,00,007 (Rupees Forty Eight Lacs and Seven Only) as on 01-09-2021*** and further interest and other expenses incurred thereon till the date of realization to the Borrowers/Co-Borrowers ***Mr. Abhik Roy, Mrs. Meghla Roy, Roy Hotel and Restaurant (hereinafter referred to as "Borrowers/Co-Borrowers").***

That on failure of the public auctions/e-auctions of Secured asset the undersigned is enforcing its security interest against the said Secured Asset by way of sale through private treaty under the provisions of SARFAESI Act, 2002 and rules framed thereunder. The Authorized Officer has received an expression of interest from a prospective purchaser towards purchase of the abovementioned Secured Asset. Now, the Authorized Officer hereby giving the Notice to sell the aforesaid Secured Asset by Private Treaty in terms of Rule 8 and 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002. The Sale will be effected on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS", "AS IS WHAT IS BASIS" and "WHATEVER THEREIS BASIS" on or after 22-02-2024, Rs.48,00,007 (Rupees Forty Eight Lacs and Seven Only) as on 01-09-2021** due to ABHFL from the Borrowers/Co-Borrowers. The reserve price of the Secured Asset is fixed at **INR 25,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Lacs only).**

The Borrowers/Co-Borrowers are hereby informed that all the requisitions under the provisions of SARFAESI Act, 2002 and the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 have been complied with, and ABHFL is now under the process of enforcing its security interest by effecting sale of the Secured Asset as mentioned herein by way of private treaty as prescribed under the provisions of Rule 8 (5) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Further the Borrowers/Co-Borrowers attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of SARFAESI Act, 2002 in respect of time available, to redeem the said Secured Asset.

PLACE: Bangalore **Authorised Officer**
DATE: 01.02.2024 **(Aditya Birla Housing Finance Limited)**

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बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा
Bank of Baroda

Zonal Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, 7th Floor, Vijaya Tower, 41/2, M G Road, Trinity Circle, Bengaluru-560001.
Phone: 080-25011280/286/350, e-mail: armban@bankofbaroda.co.in, Website: www.bankofbaroda.in

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES "APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s), Mortgagor (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Bank of Baroda, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is",** and **"Whatever there is"** basis for recovery of dues in below mentioned account/s. The details of Borrower/s/Mortgagor/Guarantor/s/Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below –

Name & address of Borrower/s/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor/s	Description of the Immovable property	Total Dues	Date & time of e-Auction	1) Reserve Price, 2) Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) 3) Bid Increase Amount	Status of Possession (Constructive/ Physical) Property	Property Inspection Date & Time	Last Date for Submission of EMD along with KYC documents
1. M/s M V Agro Renewable Energy Pvt Ltd, 323, MV House, 1st Block, 13th Main, 18th Cross, Narayan Nagar, BOOHBCS, Doddakallasandra Post Bengaluru- 560062. **Also At:** Plot in Survey No. 392 & 393, Gundua Samudram Village,Podili taluk, Marripudi Mandal, Prakasham Dist, A.P. 523240. **2. Sri K Kiran Kumar** 518, 17thCross, 35th Main, J P Nagar, 6th Phase, Bangalore - 560078 **Also At:** No. 60, BCMC Layout Behind Yellamma Dasappa College, Kanakapura Main Road raghuvanahalli, Bangalore-560062 **3. Sri K Satish** 518, 17th Cross, 35th Main, J P Nagar, 6th Phase, Bangalore-560078 **4. Sri K Anil Kumar** 518, 17th Cross, 35th Main, J P Nagar, 6th Phase, Bangalore-560078 **5. Smt. K Anantha Lakshmi** 518, 17th Cross, 35th Main, J P Nagar, 6th Phase, Bangalore-560078 **Also At:** No. 60, BCMC Layout Behind Yellamma Dasappa College, Kanakapura Main Road Raghuvanahalli, Bangalore-560062 **6. Smt. Venu Kumari** : 518, 17th Cross, 35th Main, J P Nagar, 6th Phase, Bangalore-560078 **Also At:** No. 60, BCMC Layout Behind Yellamma Dasappa College, Kanakapura Main Road raghuvanahalli, Bangalore-560062	**Item No. 1 :** All that piece and parcel of site bearing No. 430, part of land in different former Sy. Nos. of Dodda Kalasandra Village and Raghuvanahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk. A layout formed by the Bank Officers' and Official House Building Co-Operative Society Ltd. [in short the society] at Doddakallasandra II Stage, the layout approved by the BDA, now within the limit of Bruhat BMP, Bommanahalli Division, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, measuring on East: 70 feet on West: 70 feet on North : 74 feet on South:86 feet. Total measuring 5600 square feet and bounded on the East By : Site No. 431; West By: Private Property;North By: Road;South By: Site No. 433. **Item No. 2 :** All that piece and parcel of site bearing No. 321, part of land in different former Sy. Nos. of Raghuvanahalli and Dodda Kalasandra Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk. A layout formed by the Bank Officers' and Official House Building Co-Operative Society Ltd. [in short the society] at Doddakallasandra I Stage, the layout approved by the BDA, now within the limit of BBMP, Konnanakunte Sub Zone, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South taluk, measuring on East:90 Feet on West:80 Feet on North:104 Feet on South:78 feet. Total measuring 7735 square feet and bounded on the-East By: Road; West By: Site No. 322;North By: Road;South By: Site No. 320	**Rs.8,20,19,692.86/-** (Rupees Eight Crores Twenty Lakhs Nineteen Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Two and Eighty Six paise Only as on 27.01.2024 plus Further interest and other charges)	**22.02.2024 & From 02:00 PM to 06:00 PM** **22.02.2024 & From 02:00 PM to 06:00 PM**	1) Reserve Price: **Rs.3,74,00,000.00/-** EMD: **Rs.37,40,000.00/-** Bid Increment Amount: **Rs. 1,00,000/-** **SCAN HERE For detailed terms & conditions** 1) Reserve Price: **Rs.5,05,00,000.00/-** EMD: **Rs.50,05,000.00/-** Bid Increment Amount: **Rs. 1,00,000/-** **SCAN HERE For detailed terms & conditions**	**Physical Possession** **Physical Possession**	**Date of Inspection: 13.02.2024 Time: 11:00AM to 04:00PM** **Date of Inspection: 13.02.2024 Time: 11:00AM to 04:00PM**	**21.02.2024 Upto 06:00 PM** **21.02.2024 Upto 06:00 PM**

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THURSDAY

DAY'S DIARY

Space shuttle explodes

In 2003, the US space shuttle Columbia carrying seven astronauts, including Kalpana Chawla, exploded in its descent back to Earth

AN UNEXPECTED TURN

They prepared for their return after a 16-day mission, having carried out 80 experiments. A booster failure caused an explosion that destroyed the vehicle

THE TRAGEDY

The shuttle broke up 2,03,000 feet over north central Texas about 9 am EST, as it prepared for a landing at Kennedy Space Center in Florida

A MEMORIAL

NASA and the crew's families created a memorial to honour the astronauts, pay tribute to orbiters Challenger and Columbia, and learn from the past

CE's guide to happenings in the city

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GREAT EXPECTATIONS

Investment in job creation, reduced import duties on sports equipment, and due recognition to the F&B industry...Ahead of the Interim Union Budget today, **Dese Gowda** speaks to Bengalureans, who share their thoughts

ANAND VARADARAJ, director, Bangalore International Short Film Festival

Investing in skill development for the cinema industry will be a wise decision. Such programmes can help individuals acquire the necessary skills and knowledge to work in the industry. This can lead to better job opportunities, higher salaries, and a more skilled workforce. Moreover, investing in skill development can help the cinema industry compete globally. The government could also consider starting more Film and Television Institutes of India (FTII) in different parts of the country, similar to the Indian Institutes of Management (IIM) and Indian Institutes of Technology (IIT). Starting more FTIIs can help aspiring filmmakers and technicians from different regions get access to quality education. This can help the industry grow and create more jobs for people across the country.

ANIRUDH KHENY, managing partner, Keen Mustard Ventures

The centre needs to classify the F&B industry as a legitimate industry and give them due recognition. GST input credit should also be given while the increase of GST from 5 per cent to 12 per cent should be removed. They should also enable single-window clearance for all licences and clearly define the rules and laws in relation to the F&B industry.

CHETAN SHIVRAM, racer

I hope they consider reducing prohibitive tariffs on sports equipment being imported from abroad. For instance, for any part that we import for a racing car, we'd have to pay up to 180 per cent in import cess, which makes it prohibitively expensive for aspirants to take part in the sport. As motorsports gain prominence in the country, this measure could further help promote more racing talent to take various disciplines of motorsports.

HARISH BIJOOR, brand thinker

The world is a tough place. Global growth in GDP terms stands at 2.4 per cent. Likely to be down by 0.2 per cent over last year. In this situation, the developing economies of the world are slated to grow at 3.9 per cent. If India grows at 6.5 per cent in this situation, it will be a big thrill factor for all of us. I am looking for this thrill factor facilitation points in Budget '24. I am looking for a budget that is correctionist. Women-centric. Green-centric. Sustainable tech-centric. And importantly, employment and employability-centric with a focus on skill development.

MOHAMMED BAZIM S, student

As an individual about to step into the workforce soon, I hope there are initiatives and resources allocated to boost the country's job sector. I also hope that there is priority given to align the country's growth with recent technological developments in AI as well.

ASHISH SINGHAL, co-founder, PeepalCo

Tax provisions for Virtual Digital Assets (VDA) were introduced two years ago. While the industry welcomed the definition and inclusion of VDAs in the Income Tax Act, certain provisions, such as the high Tax Deducted at Source (TDS) rate have led many Indian VDA users to move to non-compliant foreign exchanges to trade, putting themselves at risk of losing their investment and breaking the law. The government could consider reducing the TDS on VDAs, from 1 per cent to 0.01 per cent, allow carrying forward losses from sale of VDAs and treat income from VDAs on par with other capital assets.

Former foreign secretary Nirupama Menon Rao's upcoming concert in the city promises celebration of a life that bridges many worlds with the universal language of music

Mosaic of Melodies

POOJA DAS

MUSIC knows no barriers. Whether it's the rhythm of a drum echoing from a remote village or a symphony performed in a grand concert hall, music has the ability to connect individuals from different backgrounds.

Diplomat-musician **Nirupama Menon Rao**'s upcoming concert Many World: Many Voices celebrates this unity in diversity featuring songs in English, Spanish, Bengali and Malayalam. "Music and its meaning appeal to the listener regardless of language as the very sequence of music is not deterred by linguistic barriers or competing world orders. I have chosen songs to sing in different languages because of the intrinsic appeal of these songs – they speak of fundamental human concerns, values and emotions, whether it is our love for home, the impact of days gone by or the simple gifts of friendship, love and longing," says the former foreign secretary (2009-2011).

Rao shares that her earliest memories of music trace back to the lullabies of her mother, a universal experience that transcends cultures. "As I grew up, and became aware of the wide world around me, I was attracted to both poetry and music. For those of us who grew up in the '60s and early '70s, Radio Ceylon was a big influence which introduced me to popular Hindi, Malayalam and Western music."

For Rao, there is a deep connection between music, poetry, and diplomacy – all forms of art that rely on effective communication. "All three are founded on the critical need for communication as human beings; to build bridges rather than break them, we try to accommodate what seem to be opposing ideas. In all three, we give the impression of leaving a lot unsaid, but you must read between the lines to gauge the multiple meanings," shares Rao.

The concert will feature songs in a wide array of genres from musical theatre to Rabindra Sangeet. "These songs have been a sound-track for my existence; I learnt the song *Puranoshe Dineyr Katha* by Rabindranath Tagore

when I was a trainee officer at the National Academy of Administration in Mussoorie from a Bengali colleague. It brings back memories of the days when I was on the threshold of my career as a young diplomat," says Rao, who is also a published poet and will read from her poetry at the concert. "My work of poetry *Rain Rising* incorporated my fascination with my origins as the child of a matrilineal family in Kerala, and my travels across the world. When I integrate poetry and music in a concert, I do so because they speak to me in a choral manner, each voice building on the other, in point and counterpoint, and ultimately in a confluence," adds Rao.

(The performance will be staged at Bangalore International Centre, Domlur on Feb 4, 6.30pm. Entry free. Details on bangaloreinternationalcentre.org)

KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

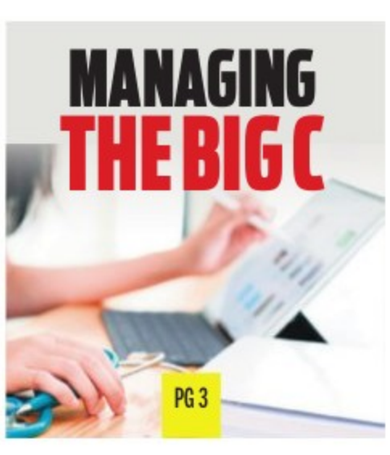
Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'** Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in *CE* on Thursday.

THE RIGHT ANSWERS ARE

1) Begur 2) Yeswanthpur and HAL 3) Magadi

FIRST THREE TO GET IT RIGHT

1) R Prabha
2) Ravi Shankar
3) Prakash Rangaraju



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BOOK NOOK

In That Mill, I Too Was Forged: Poems by Narayan Surve

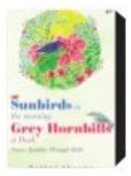
Translated by Jerry Pinto

Poems about workers' lives in Bombay by Narayan Surve is translated by Jerry Pinto, renders a colourful yet effortless English verse, retaining its raw energy and immediacy.

Shalome Rides a Royal Elephant: The Story of the First Jews of Calcutta

By Jael Silliman

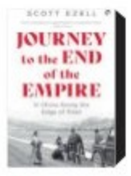
Funny, heartfelt, and filled with insights into Jewish life, this is not just the story of Shalome and Chanchal, but also about the great melting pot that is India where different communities and religions have lived in harmony over the ages.



Sunbirds in the Morning, Grey Hornbills at Dusk

By Bulbul Sharma

Bulbul Sharma has spent a lifetime exploring the gardens, parks and forest areas in and around Delhi. This delightful book is the result of her wanderings. Here she recounts her observations of all manner of birds and animals with the zeal of a true nature lover.



Journey to the End of the Empire: In China Along the Edge of Tibet

by Scott Ezell

A stunning travel book, unlike any other, about the beauty and tragedy of modern Tibet – how its magnificent landscapes and culture are being damaged by the Chinese juggernaut.

WHAT WHEN WHY WHERE

Regal Feast

Savour a delicious banquet featuring a North Indian à la carte menu, complete with Rajasthani delicacies like laal maas, shekhawat murg, dal bati churma, and more paired with Indian Single Malt and artisanal gin concoctions.

When: Feb 3 -15, 12.30pm
Where: M Cafe, Bengaluru Marriott Hotel, Whitefield
Details: 8779180953

Screening Session

Experience the compelling documentary *Bombay: Our City* by the renowned documentary filmmaker Anand Patwardhan, shedding light on the daily survival battle of four million slum dwellers, who constitute half the city's population. Witness their plight, as they endure deprivation of essential city services and the looming threat of eviction during city beautification campaigns.

When: Feb 2, 7 pm
Where: Bangalore International Centre, Domlur **Details:** bangaloreinternationalcentre.org

Melodic Healing

Discover the healing power of ragas in this music therapy session and explore how traditional Indian melodic modes can address physical, emotional, and psychological needs.

When: Feb 1, 5pm
Where: Sugar.fit Diabetes Reversal Centre, HSR Layout
Details: bookmyshow.com

Theatre Time

Watch the intricate play *Aadhe Adhure*, a poignant tale mirroring the incompleteness of contemporary life, delving into the hearts and minds of both men and women, unravelling the complexities of joy and sorrow.

When: Feb 1, 7.30pm **Where:** Ranga Shankara, JP Nagar
Details: bookmyshow.com

Cocktail Carnival

An ultimate weekend for cocktail aficionados, featuring international bar takeovers and handpicked mixology experiences from the world's top 50 bars at this two-day festival.

When: Feb 3-4, 3pm
Where: Jayamahal Palace Hotel, Jayamahal Main Road
Details: insider.in

Karaoke Evening

Boost your confidence with an electrifying karaoke night and unleash your inner superstar this Thursday night.

When: Feb 2, 10pm
Where: Marcopolo Cafe, Koramangala
Details: bookmyshow.com

Bollywood Night

Groove to the best Bollywood and Punjabi beats with DJ Senleo on the decks for an unforgettable party night.

When: Feb 1, 8pm
Where: Sugar Factory Reloaded, Koramangala
Details: bookmyshow.com

RHYTHMIC TALES

Veteran actor Bhavana Ramanna performs the solo dance adaptation of *Hamsa Geethe*, the 1952 Kannada novel that chronicles the life of Bhairavi Venkatasubbaiah, at Chowdiah Memorial Hall on Tuesday | VINOD KUMAR T

QUICK FIX

BREAD CUTLET

Contributed by **Pramila Madathil,** Chennai

INGREDIENTS

- **Bread slices:** 5
- **Onion:** 2, finely chopped
- **Potato:** 4, boiled and mashed
- **Green chillies (optional):** 2
- **Coriander and curry leaves**
- **Bread crumbs**
- **Oil for frying**
- **Carrot:** 1, grated
- **Salt to taste**

METHOD

- In a bowl, mix mashed potatoes, chopped onions, green chillies, ginger garlic paste, garam masala, and salt.
- Divide the mixture into small portions and shape them into flat cutlets.
- Fry the cutlets until they turn golden brown on both sides.
- Remove them from the pan and place them on a paper towel to absorb excess oil.
- Serve hot with ketchup or chutney.

What's cooking in your kitchen?

We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com

FIT BIT

GAJA VADIVU VARIATION

(ELEPHANT POSE VARIATION)

It is one of the ancient Indian martial art pose known as Kalaripayattu. It helps prepare the lower body for deep squat poses such as Garland Pose (Malasana Pose) and Firefly Pose (Tittibhasana). It also help runners to strengthen their legs.

STEPS

- Stand straight with your feet shoulder width apart.
- Exhale and squat. If you are unable to, then use a wall for support.
- Place your hands on a 2 feet tall chair/table and slowly bend your knees forming a right angle.
- Inhale and lift your arms up. Join your palms in Pranam Mudra.
- Make sure your upper body is parallel to the floor.
- Inhale and bring your palms together at the centre of your forehead.
- Touch your elbows together and curl your fingers in such a manner that your knuckles point upwards.
- You can also touch the tip of your thumbs to your forehead.
- Focus in between your eyebrows and stay here for 3 to 6 long breaths.
- To come out, place your palms on the floor and straighten your legs.
- Finally come into Tadasana (Mountain Pose).

BENEFITS

- Stretches the lower back, tones the mid and upper back.
- Pelvic muscles are stretched along with hip opening.
- Enhances the breath capacity and increases focus and concentration.
- Tones legs, quadriceps, glutes, spinal cord and strengthens joints.
- Helps in body balance and strength.
- Increases blood circulation and energises the body.
- Stimulation of the spine is extended and sacral organs are nurtured.
- Muladhara (Root), Swadhisthana (Sacral) and Manipura (Solar Plexus) are activated.
- Calms the nervous system.

LIMITATIONS

People with injuries in the shoulders, knees, hamstrings, quadriceps, calves, gluteus, pelvic floor, biceps and triceps, chest, groin, etc., or have undergone surgery to hip, spine, shoulder, or knee, have weak joints, abdominal hernia, postnatal women, should avoid this pose.

By N Elumalai, PhD Scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

PERILLOOR PREMIER LEAGUE (Malayalam, series)

Following her childhood crush, Malavika comes to the Perilloor village. Much to her dismay, the kooky natives force her to fight in the panchayat elections.

Cast: Nikhila Vimal, Sunny Wayne, Vijayaraghavan, Aju Varghese

- **Watch on:** Disney+ Hotstar

JOE (Tamil)

Joe, who is reeling from heartbreak due to his college sweetheart, reluctantly enters an arranged marriage. But surprises await him in this new chapter.

Cast: Rio Raj, Malavika Manoj, Bhavya Trikha, Charle

- **Watch on:** Disney+ Hotstar

PARESHAN (Telugu)

Set against the backdrop of the Singareni coal mines, a young man's life spirals into turmoil with his father's religious aspirations, his girlfriend's pregnancy, rivalries between friends and drama fueled by alcohol.

Cast: Thiruveer, Pavani, Sai Prasanna, Arjun Krishna

- **Watch on:** SonyLIV

A RANJITH CINEMA (Malayalam)

A young filmmaker starts adding horror-filled fictional events to a screenplay based on his life, and questions his sanity when they start coming true.

Cast: Asif Ali, Saiju Kurup, Namitha Pramod

- **Watch on:** Netflix

DEVIL- THE BRITISH SECRET AGENT (Telugu)

Devil, a British officer, is assigned the task of unraveling the mystery behind the murder of a Zamindar's daughter. As he delves into the details of the case, he encounters a conspiracy much bigger and deeper. Can Devil solve the case and alter the course of history?

Cast: Nandamuri Kalyan Ram, Samyuktha Menon, Malvika Nair

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

FIGHT CLUB (Tamil)

An aspiring footballer's life is upended when his mentor is murdered. Entangled in revenge and power games, can he seize control of his destiny in time?

Cast: Vijay Kumar, Monisha Mohan Menen, Kartheekeyan Santhanam, Avinash Raghudevan

- **Watch on:** Disney+ Hotstar

GARUDAN (Malayalam)

When Nishanth, a college lecturer, and DCP Harish Madhav, a straightforward police officer, become involved in a crime, one of them must battle for justice and the other for his integrity. Both men must outwit one another in a network of deceit and mental tricks.

Cast: Suresh Gopi, Biju Menon, Siddique, Abhirami, Divya Pillai

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

FOREIGN

GRISELDA (English, series)

Inspired by real events, this fictional dramatisation shows Griselda Blanco's journey from Medellin to becoming "the Godmother" of Miami's drug empire.

Cast: Sofia Vergara, Alberto Guerra, Christian Tappan

- **Watch on:** Netflix

END OF THE LINE (Portuguese, series)

Ivan, a clandestine van driver, navigates the end of his marriage and daily challenges with humour in this quirky comedy series featuring a live audience.

Cast: Rodrigo Sant'Anna, Roberta Rodrigues, Nany People

- **Watch on:** Netflix

60 MINUTES (German)

Desperate to keep custody of his daughter, a mixed martial arts fighter abandons a big match and races across Berlin to attend her birthday party.

Cast: Emilio Sakraya, Denis Mojen, Marie Mouroum

- **Watch on:** Netflix

BADLAND HUNTERS (Korean)

After a deadly earthquake turns Seoul into a lawless badland, a fearless huntsman springs into action to rescue a teenager abducted by a mad doctor.

Cast: Don Lee, Lee Hee-jun, Lee Jun-young

- **Watch on:** Netflix

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MANAGING THE BIG C

With World Cancer Day on Feb 4, *CE* looks at the improvement in cancer management

DR AMIT RAUTHAN

THE focus on cancer care has seen a significant shift and is now looking towards precision oncology instead of traditional approaches, such as chemotherapy. Precision oncology, as the name suggests, is a more targeted and precise methodology for managing cancer.

Precision Oncology or Targeted Therapy: Conventionally, chemotherapy has been the mainstay of treatment for several cancers. But chemotherapy is not cancer-cell specific. It kills both cancer and healthy cells, leading to side effects. This prompted researchers to shift their focus toward precise treatment modalities that could target cancer cells by inhibiting molecular pathways and this led to the emergence of precision oncology.

Lung Cancer as a Pioneer in Targeted Therapy: The identification of the epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) mutation in non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) and the discovery that EGFR-mutant patients benefited from oral medications that targeted this particular pathway more than conventional chemotherapy, paved the way for targeted therapy. With advancements in molecular oncology, various lung cancer subtypes can be treated with targeted therapies.

Defining precision oncology: In simple words, Precision Oncology means every cancer is diverse, even in the same broad type of cancer, for example, in lung cancer, no two patients have the same disease course or presentation. Hence, their treatment should also be different. Treatment focus should be based on tumour biology such as the subtype, individual driving factor (or genomic alteration) and treated specifically.

Newer advances in cancer management: The challenge in molecular oncology is identifying the driver mutations or abnormalities that drive cancer growth. Molecular profiling and next-generation sequencing has given us this ability to these genomic abnormalities. Here, a biopsy sample from the tumour is subjected to gene sequencing to reveal genomic abnormalities and mutations responsible for tumour growth and progression. This information is then used by oncologists to tailor treatment plans and target specific molecular pathways. This strategy of precision oncology is now becoming important in other cancers – like colon, breast, cholangiocarcinoma bladder, ovary and prostate cancer.

The development of precision oncology signifies a significant change in the way cancer is treated. By focusing on identifying certain molecular targets, more individualised and efficient treatments can be provided, leading to better patient outcomes and quality of life. The future of cancer care is being shaped by increasing usage of targeted therapies, which gives patients new opportunities of treatment and hope.

(The writer is HoD & consultant, medical oncology, Manipal Hospital Old Airport Road)

XPRESS FOCUS

Star-studded Gala Celebrates Cinematic Excellence

IN a showcase of cinematic expertise, *Kaatera*, guided by director Tharun Sudhir, and *Sapta Saagaradache Ello (SSE)* by Hemanth Rao, claimed the spotlight with seven and four accolades respectively at the 5th Chandanavana Film Critics Academy Awards.

Ramesh Aravind secured the coveted Best Actor award for his portrayal in *Shivaji Surathkal 2*. Rukmini Vasanth accepted the Best Actress honour for her compelling role in SSE.

Actress Ramya, who ventured into production last year, was honoured with the Puneeth Rajkumar Award for Best Debut Producer for her film *Swati Muttina Male Haniye*.

The star-studded gala, graced by music composer and lyricist Hamsalekha, welcomed luminaries such as the eight-time National Award-winning director P. Sheshadri, actresses Malashree and Prema, veteran director Om Sai Prakash, and KFCC President NM Suresh.

Karnataka Health Minister Dinesh Gundu Rao praised the Academy for adopting organ donation as the theme for this year's awards, with over two dozen celebrities pledging their support.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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I, SERVICE NO. 15331969A L/HAV SAVARI NATHAN.C, Residing at Sagayapuram (Vill), Elathagiri (Post), Krishnagiri (TK), Dharmapuri (Dist), TAMIL NADU (State), PIN: 635108, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) C. SAVARINATHAN,** Vide Affidavit Dated 29.01.2024 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **KIRAN KUMAR HALLI,** S/o Sri S. Prabhakar Shetty, age 47 years, R/at NO. 19, Sridurga, 1st Main A Cross, Akshaya Garden, Akshaya Nagar West, Yelenahalli Road, Off. Bannerghatta Road, Bengaluru-560 068 do hereby declare that I have changed my son's name from **SUMITH KIRAN** to **SUMITH SHETTY**, henceforth he shall be known and called as **SUMITH SHETTY** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 18-01-2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **G. MALLIKARJUNAPPA** at Bangalore.

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I, **ZAKIA ANJUM ZABIULLA,** Aged 47 yrs, W/o Zabiulla.S & D/o Ayub Khan Lohani, Resident of MBS Elegant Alpha, Flat No.F2,1st Floor, A Wing, No.22/1, Alfred Street, Richmond Town, Bengaluru-560025, have changed my name to **ZAKIA ANJUM LOHANI**, Vide Affidavit dated:31.01.2024 notary **Gangaraju.B.N,** Bengaluru.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **JAMES WILLIAM**, S/o Late E. Kunder, permanently residing at Kalmakki, Kalasa Mavinakere Village, Kalasa Post, Mudigere Tq, VTC Kalasa, Chikkamagaluru - 577 124 and now residing at No. 56/1, 3rd Floor, 10th Cross, Vinayaka Nagar, Annasandra Palya, HAL Post, Bengaluru - 560 017, do hereby declare that, in my daughter's all educational documents and other documents my name is stands as **JAMES WILLIAM** and my second son **Shreyas** all educational documents and other documents my name is stands as **JAMES WILLIAM KUNDER.** Vide affidavit dated 09.01.2024 sworn to before Kamalini .B,R, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

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I, **MUTHAMSETTY RAJENDRABABU** (New Name), S/o. VENKATA RATHNAM MUTHAMSETTY, Aged about 40 years, Resident at NO.005, NR PEARL APARTMENT, KLV LAYOUT, NEAR BK CIRCLE, JP NAGAR, 8TH PHASE, BENGALURU-560076, KARNATAKA, declare that I have changed my name from **RAJENDRA BABU MUTTAMSETTY** (Old Name) to **MUTHAMSETTY RAJENDRABABU** (New Name), henceforth I shall be known and called as **MUTHAMSETTY RAJENDRABABU** (New Name) for all my personal, official & legal purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 30/01/2024 before Notary **GANGARAJU .B.N.** at BENGALURU.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **KIRAN KUMAR HALLI,** S/o Sri S. Prabhakar Shetty, age 47 years, R/at NO. 19, Sridurga, 1st Main A Cross, Akshaya Garden, Akshaya Nagar West, Yelenahalli Road, Off. Bannerghatta Road, Bengaluru-560 068 do hereby declare that I have changed my son's name from **SUHITH KIRAN** to **SUHITH SHETTY**, henceforth he shall be known and called as **SUHITH SHETTY** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 18-01-2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **G. MALLIKARJUNAPPA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MANSOOR AHMED,** S/o Baba Jan, age 52 years, R/at No. 44/7, 8th Main, B.G. Road, Old Gurappanapalya, Bengaluru-560 029 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **MANSOOR AHMED BABA JAN** to **MANSOOR AHMED,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **MANSOOR AHMED** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 31st January 2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **MEER HASSAN** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Mr. BURHANUDDIN ZARIWALA,** Resident of # A-501, Rose Garden Apartments, Bannerghatta Road, Near AGN Kalyana Mantapa, Arekere Gate, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore - 560 076, do hereby declare that I have changed my minor son's name from **ABBAS BURHANUDDIN** to **ABBAS ZARIWALA** vide affidavit dated 30.01.2024 sworn to before C. Sharada, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, KENISHAA FRANCIS, D/o. Joseph Pangiras Francis, residing at No. 1110, BDA Flats, No.29, Austin Town Layout, Opp Infant Indian School, Viveknagar, Bengaluru-560047, Karnataka, India, that I have changed my name from KENISHAA FRANCIS (Old Name) to KENEESHAA FRANCIS (New Name), henceforth I shall be known and called KENEESHAA FRANCIS (New Name) only for all purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 06/01/2024, before Notary RAMESH J SOLANKI, Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **T.N. OBALESH KUMAR,** S/o T. Narayana, age 50 years, R/at No. 218, Ground Floor, 5th Cross, Ashraya Layout, Singapura Village, Bengaluru-560 097 do hereby declare that my correct name is **T.N. OBALESH KUMAR** and my father correct name is **T. NARAYANA** but in my provident fund record, my name is wrongly mentioned as **T.N. KUMAR** instead of **T.N. OBALESH KUMAR** and my father name is wrongly mentioned as **T. NARAYANAPPA** instead of **T. NARAYANA,** vide affidavit dated 30th Jan 2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **MEER HASSAN** at Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **SUBIN POOVADAN,** S/o. Pavithran.P.K, residing at 1st Cross, 4th Cross, Kamala Nehru Extension, Yeshwanthpur, Bengaluru 560022, declare that both the names **SUBIN POOVADAN** and **SUBIN P** refers/pertains to one and the same person i.e., myself and in future for all purposes I shall be known, called, recognized and distinguished by the name **SUBIN POOVADAN** vide Affidavit Dated: 25/01/2024, sworn before Notary **K.RAMEGOWDA,** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **RAMYA .S,** D/o Late C. Subramany, age 42 yers, R/at No. 102, Parvathi Nilaya, 22nd Cross, 4th Main, Judicial Layout, Yelahanka, GKVK Post, Benglauru-560 065 do hereby declare that I have changed/retained my name from **RAMYA ANAND** to **RAMYA .S** henceforth I shall be known and called as **RAMYA .S** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 31st January 2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **S. Ramesh** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ARWA BURHANUDDIN,** W/o. Burhanuddin Zariwala, Residing at A-501, Rose Garden Apartments, Bannerghatta Road, Near AGN Kalyana Mantapa, Arekere Gate, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore - 560 076, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **ARWA BURHANUDDIN** to **ARWA ZARIWALA** vide affidavit dated 30.01.2024 sworn to before C. Sharada, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **NAGARJUNA PAMALA,** Son of Ramanaiah Pamala, Aged about 36 years, Residing at House number 27, 4th Cross, Seethappa Layout, Cholanayakanahalli, R.T.Nagar Post, Bangalore-560 032, I state that, my father's name being wrongly entered in my Pan Card as **'PAMALA NAGAIAH'** instend of **"RAMANAIAH PAMALA"** Hereby declare that, my father's correct name is **'RAMANAIAH PAMALA'** only vide affidavit dated 30.01.2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary Venkatesha M.T, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **GOPINATH A G** R/at Old No. 171/5 New No. 30 7th Main 2nd Cross Uttarahalli Bengaluru 560061 have changed my name to **GOPINATH G** vide affidavit dated: 31/1/2024 Before Notary **H S Sakalesh Aradhya** Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **Smt. SHARMILA J,** W/o Govind Prasannaa Kumar, age 40 years, R/at No. 343, 14th Cross, GBJ, HAL New Township, Marathahalli Colony, Bengaluru-560 037 do hereby declare that my correct name is **SHARMILA J,** but in my passport my name is wrongly mentioned as **SHARMILA GOVIND PRASANNA KUMAR,** vide affidavit dated 31st Jan. 2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **ARUNA V.** at Bangalore.

NAME DECLARATION

I, **VENKATESH VENKATARANGA RUDRASETTY,** S/o H. Rudrasetty, aged 49 Years, (DOB 10.04.1974), R/at #719, 8th Main, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar, Kempegowda Park, Kathriguppe, Banashankari III Stage, Bengaluru-560085. I hereby declare that my names **"VENKATESHA VENKATARANGA RUDRASETTY", VENKATESH VENKATARANGA RUDRASETTY** and **"VENKATESH V. R."** all the above names belong to me only, vide affidavit dated 30.01.2024 sworn to before **Vani G.K.,** Advocate & Notary, at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) SEEMA.B Residing at No. # 24, Madni Complex, 1st Floor, Shampura Main Road, Near Ambedkar Medical College, Kaval Byrasandra, R.T.Nagar Post, Bangalore - 560032. Have changed My Name from **(OLD NAME) SEEMA.B** to **(NEW NAME) SEEMA TAJ** Vide Affidavit Dated 30.01.2024 Sworn before Notary A.Manjula Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SHARADAMMA MALLIKARJUN SAVADI,** R/o. No. 2319, 5th B Main, 3rd Phase, Yelahanka New Town, Bengaluru-560064, have changed my name from **SHARADAMMA MALLIKARJUN SAVADI** to **SHARADA MALLIKARJUN SAVADI,** vide affidavit, dated: 03/01/2024, sworn before Notary Public, G.P. Chaya, Bangalore. Henceforth I shall be known as **SHARADA MALLIKARJUN SAVADI** for all future purpose.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **TANISH DILEEP RAO,** R/o No. B1 1134, Sbha Ruby Platinum, Tumkur Road, Nagasandra, Bangalore-73 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **TANUSH DILEEP RAO** to **TANISH DILEEP RAO,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **TANISH DILEEP RAO** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 29th January 2024, sworn before advocate and notary **SAKINO BANO** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME (MINOR)

We, (1) **Mr. K S SREEDHAR,** (Aadhaar No.7585 0717 2344), Agedabout 51 years, Son of Shri. Karanam Sreenivasa Rao; & (2) Mrs. KARANAMSUJATHA (Aadhaar No.8956 1886 9727), Aged about 46 years, Wife of Mr. K S Sreedhar, Both are Presently Residing at No.15, 11th Cross, 2nd Main, Soundarya Layout, Sidedahalli, Nagasandra Post, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru -560073, Karnataka, India, HAVE CHANGED OUR SON'S NAME FROM HIS OLD NAME **"JAYADEEP SREEDHAR KARANAM"** TO HIS NEW NAME **"JAYATHEERTHA SREEDHAR KARANAM"** (Aadhaar Card bearing No. 7942 8246 9584) VIDE AFFIDAVIT DATED:30/01/2024DULY SWORN TO BEFORE **SRI.RAMASANJEEVAIAH. K.V.,**ADVOCATE AND NOTARY PUBLIC, GOVT. OF INDIA, BENGALURU.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, SUJATHA K, W/o. Praveen, residing at No.13, Srinivasa Tent Road, Kumaraswamy Lay out, Bengaluru-560078, Karnataka, India, do hereby declare that my name is changed from **SUJATHA K** to **DEEPU** vide affidavit dated 30-01-2024 sworn before notary B.K.R. Krishnamurthy, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ANUSHA METHUKU,** Aged about 32 years, W/o. Amarnath Narayana, A 0104, Mantri Elegance, Bannerghatta Road, BTM Layout, 2nd Stage, Bangalore - 560 076, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **ANUSHA NARAYANA** to **ANUSHA METHUKU** vide affidavit dated 31.01.2024 sworn to before K.V. Mani, Advocate and Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, SRINIVASAN, S/o. Srinivasa Raghavan Rangaswamy, residing at #304, Naga Axton, 38, 13th Cross, Margosa Road, Opp BMTC Bus Stop, Malleswaram, Bengaluru 560003, have changed my name to **SRINIVASAN RANGASWAMY,** vide Affidavit Dated: 30/01/2024, sworn before Notary MEER HASSAN, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **USHA RAO MALAVALLI SUBBARAMAIAH,** R/o No. B1 1134, Sbha Ruby Platinum, Tumkur Road, Nagasandra, Bangalore-73 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **USHA RAO** to **USHA RAO MALAVALLI SUBBARAMAIAH,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **USHA RAO MALAVALLI SUBBARAMAIAH** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 29th January 2024, sworn before advocate and notary **SAKINO BANO** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ASHA RAJ NAMBOORI,** W/o Rajendra Prasad Namboori, D/o Rathnamaiah Setty, and R/o No. 507/10-1, Garuthman Park, Behind RV Teachers College, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru-560 004, Karnataka, India do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **ASHA T.R.** to **ASHA RAJ NAMBOORI,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **ASHA RAJ NAMBOORI** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 31st January 2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **D.K. RAMESHAPPA** at Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **Jayalakshmi Devaraj,** W/o. Devaraj H K, Aged about 56 years, Resident at Flat 201, Sambhram Enclave, No. 47, 24th Cross, 18th Main, Near Ganga Heights Apartment, 5th Block, HBR Layout, Kalyanagar, Bengaluru - 560 043, do hereby declare that, **Jayalakshmi Devaraj, Jayalakshmamma D, Jayalakshmi D. Raj** all the names are one and the same person. Hereinafter I will be known and called as **Jayalakshmi Devaraj** only. Vide affidavit dated 10.01.2024 sworn to before Veena .K, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) SHAIK MOHAMMAD UMAR Residing at No. # 378, Fathima Manzil, 4th Cross, 1st Block, Near Aster Lab, Rahmath Nagar, R.T.Nagar Post, Bangalore - 560032. Have changed My Name from **(OLD NAME) SHAIK MOHAMMAD UMAR** to **(NEW NAME) ANAYA FATHIMA** Vide Affidavit Dated 30.01.2024 Sworn before Notary A.Manjula Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **DOMINIC JOSEPH** (Old Name) Resident of No 4, 5 11th Main Virat Nagar Opp: Begur Road, Bommanahalli, Bengaluru 560068, Karnataka, (address), have changed my name as **DOMINIC** (New Name) for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 31/01/2024 before notary **Bidaralli N. B.**

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) PARVATHI BAI W/o Rajanaik, Residing at : Thubarahalli, Bengaluru - 560066, Permanent Address : 847, Miyapura, Davangere, Karnataka - 577544. Have changed My Name from **(OLD NAME) PARVATHI BAI** to **(NEW NAME) LATHA K** Vide Affidavit Dated 31.01.2024 Sworn before Notary Yankoba Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) IMTIAZ AHMED Residing at No. 42, 2nd Main Road, Behind K.G. Halli Police Station, Vinobhanagar, Bangalore North, Arabic Collge Post, Bangalore - 560045. Have changed My Name from **(OLD NAME) IMTIAZ AHMED** to **(NEW NAME) IMTIYAZ AHMED** Vide Affidavit Dated 31.01.2024 Sworn before Notary Leela Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) RAJENDRA KUMAR Residing at Druthi Nilaya, No.272, Ground Floor, 2nd Cross, 6th Main, H.M.R. International Public School, Gnanajyothinagar, VTC Bengaluru University Post, Ullalu Upanagara, Bengaluru - 560056. Have changed My Name from **(OLD NAME) RAJENDRA KUMAR** to **(NEW NAME) RAJENDRA BENGALOORU** Vide Affidavit Dated 31.01.2024 Sworn before Notary P.N. Nagesha Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ANU ABHINAV,** W/o ABHINAV VIJAYA KUMAR Aged About 40 Years, HRC IBBANI 6604, Jakkur, Bangalore 560064, have changed my name from **ANNAPURNESHWARI** to **ANU ABHINAV,** vide affidavit dated 25/1/2024 sworn to before G.R.Ravichandra Reddy advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **TAPA CHAKRABORTY,** aged about 40 years, daughter of Mr. Arun Chandra Chakraborty and wife of Mr. Soumit Basu, residing at Flat-FTF1 No 4th Floor, RC Elite Apts, Hutchins Road, 2nd Cross, Cooke Town, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560084., have changed my name from **TAPA CHAKRABORTY** to **TAPA BASU,** vide affidavit dated 31/1/2024 sworn to before K.S Giridhar advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Uma Manoj Kumar** W/o Manoj Kumar B, residing at no 218, 5th Main Road, Kumaraswamy Layout, 2nd Stage, Bangalore - 560078 have changed my name to **Uma Lakshminarayana** vide affidavit dated: 25/1/2024 sworn before notary Puttaramaiah, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Shobha .R W/o Dathathreya. C. Y residing of No.84, Kalki Kurpa, Near Renukamba Temple, Doddabommasandra, Vidyaranyapura, Bangalore North-560097, stating that my daughter Old name will be Hansika C. Dutt and New name will be Hansika C. Datta. Above mentioned both the names are belongs to me only. But I would like to officially change my name to Hansika C. Datta from Hansika C. Dutt. Hereinafter I will henceforth deal with the name Hansika C. Datta only. Therefore, we have sworn before Notary and Advocate T.N.Bharthy, Tumkur vide affidavit dt. 22. 01.2024

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **NAGALAKSHMI SRINIVASULU** W/o Srinivasulu M, Aged about 38 Years, AADHAAR No.4771 0796 9403 Residing at No.2, 1st Cross, Aneppa Garden Akshaya Nagar, Bangalore 560 016 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **NAGALAKSHMI** to **NAGALAKSHMI SRINIVASULU.** Henceforth I shall be known and called as **NAGALAKSHMI SRINIVASULU** for all purposes, I have sworn an affidavit before Advocate and Notary **Sri.R.Basavaraj** on 30.01.2024, stating that my correct name is **NAGALAKSHMISRINIVASULU.**

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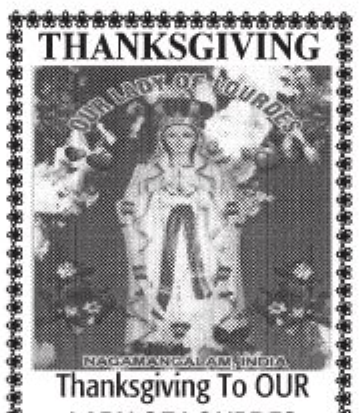

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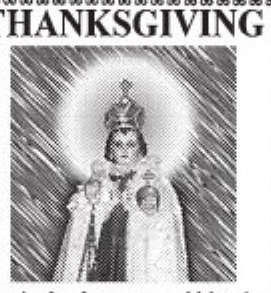

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Thanks for favours and blessing received continue to bless us the favours we seek.

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THANKSGIVING

THE MIRACLE PRAYER

Dear Heart of Jesus. in the past. I have asked for many favors. This time. I ask you this very special favor (mention favor). Take it dear Heart of Jesus, and place it within your own broken heart where your Father sees it. Then in his merciful eyes it will become your favor. not mine.

Amen. Say this prayer for 3 days, promise publication and favor will be granted. no matter how impossible. Never known to fail.

Thank you for the favors, graces and blessings received, seeking continous blessings on my family always

JOSEPH GEORGE

THANKSGIVING

Dear lord thank you for all Favors received. Seeking your graces, blessings and mercies always for me and my family.

JOSEPH GEORGE

THANKSGIVING

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...says music director Veer Samarth, who has composed 8 songs and three bits, encompassing ghazal, sufi, duet, melody, devotional, and a rap version

A still from the film

'SUNI'S *OSPK* NECESSITATED A MUSICAL LANDSCAPE'

A SHARADHAA

SUNI'S *Ondu Sarala Prema Kathe*, a musical romantic-drama, and all eyes are on the composer Veer Samarth. With a contribution of 8 songs and three bits for the film, some presented as full-length tunes, and others seamlessly blending with the narrative, it's not just about numbers; it's a musical journey encompassing ghazal, sufi, duet, melody, devotional, and even a rap version.

According to the composer, these diverse tones resonate with the moods of *Ondu Sarala Prema Kathe,* travelling with the film. "Vinay Rajkumar, the hero portraying the role of an aspiring music composer Athishay, and one of the film's heroines, Mallika Singh, as singer by name, Madhura, necessitated this extensive array of songs, setting the perfect cinematic mood," says Veer Samarth. "Music plays a crucial role in the hero's journey, and we had to give it the importance it deserves more of a musical landscape," explains the composer.

Veer Samarth, with a portfolio of over 40 films, expresses how his musical background and experience contribute to the film's musical love journey. "We also had to be authentic with the music that fits the scenes where they were shot. For example, there is a 10-minute scene captured in Rajasthan, and we went with a folk tune matching the nativity. Likewise, an episode set in Mumbai required a song that complemented the setting," explains Veer Samarth, adding, "Even though the film boasts 8 songs and additional bits, the emphasis is not on quantity but on the thoughtful crafting of each track. Contrary to the notion that every song is a lengthy 5-minute piece, they are intricately designed to seamlessly integrate with the narrative, accompanying diverse characters, and synchronizing with Suni's screenplay."

With Swathishta Krishnan playing one of the leads, the film, produced by Ramesh, also features Sadhu Kokila and Aruna Balaraj in pivotal roles. Adding to the uniqueness, Suni introduces a new cinematographer, editor, and singer in *Ondu Sarala Prema Kathe*. Karthik, who has assisted DoP William David in films like *Vikrant Rona,* marks his debut as a cinematographer. Aditya Krishnan, previously an editor for a production house, is now associated as an editor for this film. Shivani Swamy, an Indian Idol contestant, has sung a song in the film.

Team *Kreem*

Kreem offers a riveting glimpse through its visual trailer

CE FEATURES

TEAM *Kreem*, having completed shooting and gearing up for release, has unveiled the film's trailer. Agni Sreedhar, who has written the story, screenplay, and dialogue for *Kreem,* appreciated the courage displayed by director Abhishek Basanth, in addressing a societal issue in the film. He also commended Samyuktha Hegde's dedication in her portrayal and expressed gratitude to producer DK Devendra, showing confidence in the film's content.

"*Kreem* portrays a hidden reality that occurs in every village, state, and language in India," says Sridhar, emphasising the need for courage to make a film like this. "The story of the film addresses the reasons behind the sacrifice of thousands of women in India every year," he adds.

While producer DK Devendra expressed gratitude to Agni Shridhar for providing an excellent script, and acknowledged the stunning visuals captured by cinematographer, Sunjo Velayudhan, director Abhishek Basanth mentioned that he had been contemplating the film's subject for ten years and took up the challenge to make the film when encouraged by producer Devendra. He also mentioned that *Kreem* would be available for the audience soon.

Kreem's plot, completely shot in neo-noir style, examines the ritual killing of women conducted to seemingly attain wealth and power, and is still happening today.

Samyuktha expressed her excitement about playing a role she had never attempted before and acknowledged the physical challenges involved in performing action sequences.

Starring Arun Sagar, Roshan, Agni Shridhar, Bachan, and Aaron Rodriguez in pivotal roles, Kreem has Shivakumar taking care of the art department. Made under Sumvardini Productions banner, the film has music by Rohit Sower and cinematography by Sunjo Velayudhan.

Samyuktha Hegde

Sam Hargrave to direct *Kill Them All*

CE FEATURES

DIRECTOR Sam Hargrave of Extraction fame is set to direct an adaptation of *Kill Them All* for Paramount Pictures. Based on the popular graphic novel by Kyle M Starks, the film will be produced by Josh Appelbaum and André Nemec on behalf of Saw Mill, with James Coyne adapting the script. The original graphic novel follows an elite female assassin who finds out she is going to be killed by her own criminal syndicate and decides to take them out first. Joining forces with an alcoholic ex-cop, she sets on a ruthless, violent attack through the 15 floors of the syndicate's headquarters.

Hargrave is also set to direct and executive produce the pilot episode of Apple TV+ drama series *The Last Frontier,* starring Jason Clarke and created by Jon Bokenkamp and Richard D'Ovidio. The makers are yet to finalise the cast and crew of the Kill Them All feature film adaptation.

'SUPPLIER SHANKARA IS A LITMUS TEST FOR MY JOURNEY AS A MASS HERO'

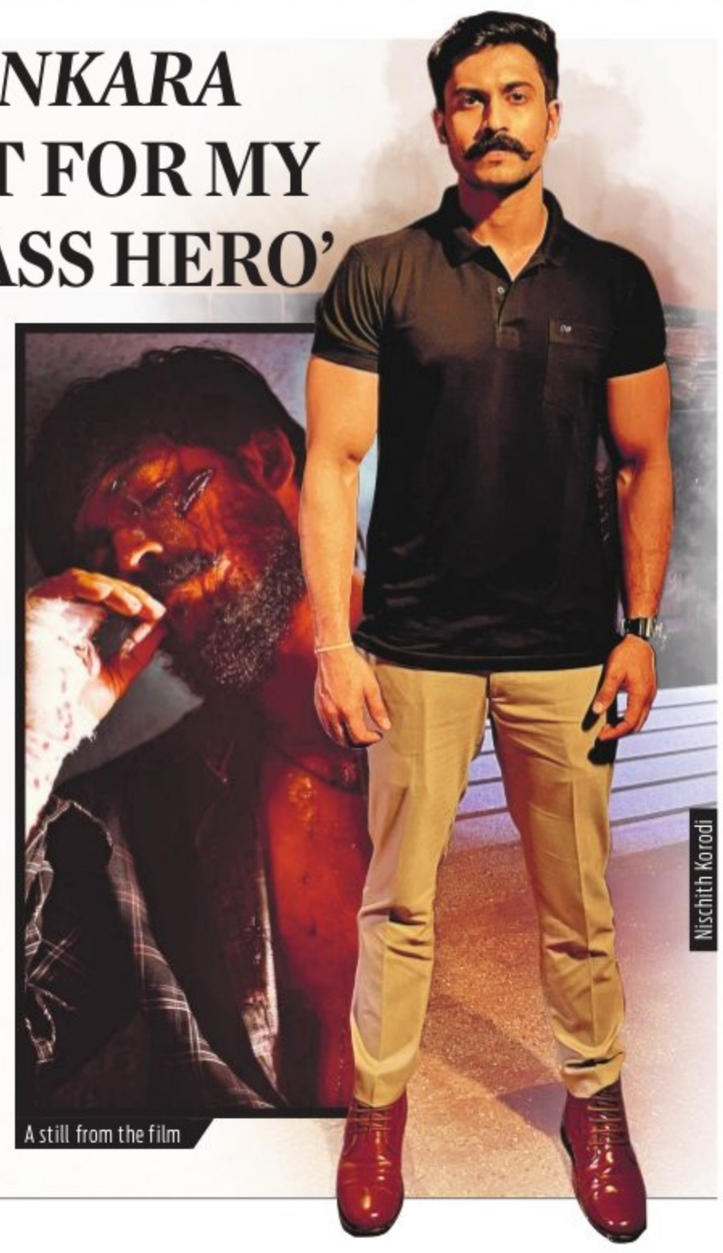
CE FEATURES

NISCHITH KORODI transitioning from the lightheartedness of *Gantu Moote* and *Tom & Jerry* is set to redefine his image as a mass hero in the upcoming release *Supplier Shankara*. This crime mystery, directed by Ranjith Singh Rajput, who also penned the story, screenplay, and dialogues, is scheduled to release on February 2 under the Trinetra Films banner.

Ranjith sheds light on the film's inspiration, stating that *Supplier Shankara* pays a tribute to the often-overlooked world of hospitality. Nischith, known for his versatility, shares his perspective on sustaining a successful acting career. He believes that venturing into diverse genres, particularly those with mass appeal, is essential for an actor's longevity in the industry. "Supplier Shankara marks my first venture into this direction," Nischith remarks. Despite falling into the murder mystery genre, he highlights that the film seamlessly weaves in elements of comedy, sentiment, love, and thrills—creating a potent blend that caters to the diverse tastes of the audience," he says.

The film presents Nischith as a bar supplier, navigating through a series of consequential events that alter the course of his life. When questioned about the key attributes required to become a mass hero, Nischith underscores the significance of possessing appeal across various facets, including dance, dialogues, and acting. "*Supplier Shankara* is a crucial litmus test to my growth as a mass hero," he adds.

Supplier Shankara features Deepika Adarsh in the role of a teacher, has music composed by director Bharath, and Satish Kumar handles the cinematography. ath, and Satish Kumar handles the cinematography.



Nischith Korodi

A still from the film

'Nocturnes is as much about sound as it is about images'

NAMRATA JOSHI

NOCTURNES is immersive, experiential cinema at its most hypnotic. Breathtaking visuals and stunning sound design plant the viewer right in the middle of the universe of moths in this rare Indian entomological documentary. Filmmakers Anirban Dutta and Anupama Srinivasan follow ecologist Mansi Mungee and her assistant Bicki in their quest into the dense forests of Arunachal Pradesh to shine a light on the secret lives of moths. The intimate peep into the world of insects is juxtaposed against the overwhelming expanse of nature. There is also the tireless, laborious work and extraordinary commitment of the researchers.

In a conversation with CE, after the film's premiere at the Sundance Film Festival, Dutta and Srinivasan dwelt on what went into its making.

Excerpts:

***Nocturnes* is about a unique subject—the inner lives of moths. What took you to it?**

ANIRBAN: We have lived for a long time in Delhi. The sheer noise level that we experience there is cacophonic. There is a constant hum even when you listen to music at home. We've both felt that there is something very basic that has been taken away from us. We were thinking of making a film which would help us reconnect with nature and to some simple sounds like that of the water droplets or of the wind. We had a chance encounter with Mansi [Mungee] in Uttarkashi, where she told us about this incredible landscape, how she puts up these moth screens and how thousands of moths slowly come down on it.

Anirban Dutta and Anupama Srinivasan

It's a subject we don't associate Indian documentaries with...

ANUPAMA: There has been a tendency to feel that film festivals, especially in the West, will accept Indian documentaries only if they are about a very serious social issue or about somebody fighting against the corrupt system. This was also at the back of our minds—why should we, as filmmakers, feel compelled only to talk about certain issues and only in certain forms? So, in this film, we haven't followed any template. The story is very basic and simple. So, we could really get into the sound and the visual exploration in a very wonderful and detailed way.

How much did you have to travel, and how long did it take you to shoot the film?

ANIRBAN: The moth work is seasonal. It doesn't happen in winter, and it was very difficult for us to film during heavy rain. So, it was over a few trips between 2019 and 2023.

ANUPAMA: But the primary, principal photography started by the end of 2021. We followed them [Mansi, Bicki and team] wherever they went but it was all in a relatively small area of the Eaglenest Sanctuary, and the surrounding forests, in the West Kameng district of Arunachal Pradesh. A lot of it is in the community forest and some of it is in the sanctuary.

The film makes for an incredibly immersive experience. What went into its visual language and sound design?

ANIRBAN: In 2019, we went to the forest with the kind of equipment we usually take for documentary shoots—shotgun, boom microphones, lapels, etc. When we came back and heard and saw the footage, we felt what we had been hearing there was not coming across in the footage. It felt like a big loss. At that point, we started researching how to record the sound. We had a wonderful sound recordist called Sukanta Majumdar, who teaches at SRFTI (Satyajit Ray Film and Television Institute). When we went there next, we went with multiple microphones. We did hours and hours of recording. For example, in the film, when you see a transition from day to twilight to night, it is the recording of how the soundscape changes. We wanted to be true to that, and not use any stock, what we call the library sound effects. So, the thunder that you hear, the raindrops that you hear, they're all from that place. You will see more if you hear more. and if you see more, then you will hear more. This film is as much about sound as it is about images.

ANUPAMA: We were fortunate that from the very beginning, we had Satya [Rai Nagpaul] on board. Apart from being an amazing camera person, he is very interested in entomology. We didn't want to make picture postcards kind of images at all, even though the forest is so beautiful. We wanted to find another way to capture that beauty. There are many shots of the fog just shifting and changing the way we look at something. The fog played a very important part because it gave a sort of dynamism to even very quiet-looking shots.

I think a very crucial aspect was how to film the forest in a different way. One which is very meditative deep and moving, and not flashy. We decided not to go for a very shallow depth of focus in which we are isolating either the people, the moths, or any aspect of the landscape. We wanted to communicate that through our lensing. And so, we see everything in focus and for that, we needed to figure out how much light was needed to have enough depth of field. We had to do many tests to figure out these technicalities.

We did use the macro lens in some shots to get the details of the texture and the little feather and the antenna, which is such a big part of appreciating the moth.